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AGREE ON CHANGES IN MONEY MEASURE

Bankers Want Owen-Glass Currency Bill Amended.

COMMITTEE TO WASHINGTON

Delegation of Financiers Will Present Views of Banking Institutions Regarding Monetary Legislation.

Chicago, Aug. 23.—Bankers from all parts of the country at the close of a two days' conference agreed on a number of important amendments to the Owen-Glass Currency bill now pending in Congress, and appointed a committee of seven to go to Washington and endeavor to have the changes incorporated in the measure.

Members of the conference expressed the belief that the administration forces in Washington will be convinced by the arguments they will present and modify the bill so that it will be reasonably satisfactory to the banking interests of the country.

The amendments were presented to the conference by a committee on resolutions, and were adopted after a long discussion after unanimous vote. The committee went through the Currency bill section by section, and recommended more than 20 changes.

The committee named by Chairman Hepburn, of New York, to go to Washington and present the recommendations of the conference to President Wilson and Secretary of Treasury McAdoo, included James B. Forgan, Chicago, chairman; George W. Reynolds, Chicago; E. J. Hill, Norwalk, Conn.; R. F. Maddox, Atlanta; Sol Wexler, New Orleans; Joseph Chapman, Minneapolis, and Festus J. Wade, St. Louis.

The committee will go to Washington in a few days to begin its work.

Proposed Changes.

A summary of the important changes in the currency bill proposed by the resolutions adopted by the bankers follows:

That there should be established one central Federal reserve bank under the new currency and banking plan instead of 12, and if this is found inexpedient the number should not exceed five, with as many branches as may be required.

The membership in Federal reserve banks be made voluntary instead of compulsory on the part of National banks as is provided in the case of State banks.

That the amount of subscriptions to the capital stock of the Federal reserve banks be reduced from 20 to 10 per cent of the capitalization of the bank applying for membership.

That in order to remove control of the Federal reserve banks from political influence, direction of the institution be vested in a board of seven members composed of the Secretary of the Treasury, as ex-officio member, three members to be selected by the member banks. The terms of office are fixed at three, six and nine years at the beginning and nine years for all members after the first term. The salary is fixed at $10,000 a year with allowances for necessary traveling expenses.

That three of the directors of regional banks shall be experienced in banking and live in the district.

That directors of regional banks be authorized to elect their own officers, who with the Federal agent designed by the Federal reserve board shall manage the institution.

That the appointee of the Federal reserve board shall not act as chairman of the board of directors of regional banks.

That the advisory board of the Federal reserve bank be abolished.

That the authority of the Federal reserve board to compel one member bank to re-discount paper of another member bank be made optional instead of mandatory.

That the cumulative dividends allowed member banks out of earnings on their shares in the Federal reserve bank be increased from 5 to 6 per cent.

That State banks accepting membership in Federal reserve banks be required to adopt the word "National" in their corporate names.

That all government moneys be deposited in Federal reserve banks except the 5 per cent redemption fund of outstanding National bank notes.

That Federal reserve banks be prohibited from re-discounting paper drawn for carrying of securities other than stocks and bonds.

That the country banks required reserve be reduced from 15 to 12 per cent, and that not less than 4 per cent be kept in the bank vault, not less than 4 per cent deposited with the Federal reserve bank and the remainder with the correspondent.

That the reserve city bank's required reserve be fixed at 18 per cent instead of 20 and 25 per cent; 6 per cent to remain in vault; 6 per cent in a Federal reserve bank, and 6 per cent with the correspondent in a central reserve bank.

That the central reserve city banks required reserve which varies from 20 to 25 per cent, be fixed at 20 per cent; 10 per cent in the vault and 10 per cent in the Federal reserve bank.

That the time limit on farm loans be extended from nine to 12 months.

That the section of the bill relating to savings be stricken out.

That the Federal reserve banks issue the necessary currency bank notes under control of the comptroller of the currency instead of having treasury notes issued by the government.

The conference considered this plan necessary for the protection of the government's credit in time of war or other emergency.

The amendment proposed for this

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First Photograph of Thaw in His Canadian Cell

This photograph of Harry Thaw was made as he sat writing in the ja il at Sherbrooke, Canada, where he is being held pending the efforts of the United States and New York State a uthorities to have him returned to Matteawan Insane Asylum.

THAW'S COUNSEL DEBATE NEXT MOVE IN THE CASE

Whether to Produce the Prisoner in Court on Writ of Habeas Corpus, or Abandon Writ and Submit to Deportation, the Question

Sherbrooke, Que., Aug. 23.—Harry K. Thaw, squabbling with the Dominion's leading lawyers, retained to prevent his return to the Matteawan State Hospital for the Insane, from which he escaped last Sunday morning, tonight apparently was as much in ignorance of the next move in his case as the casual idler around the Sherbrooke jail.

For two hours his counsel conferred this afternoon, debating whether they would produce Thaw in court on a writ of habeas corpus next Wednesday or abandon the writ, surrender him to the immigration authorities and countenance his deportation to Vermont, a procedure to which it was said here the immigration officers had agreed. The two-hour talk was preceded by a conference with Thaw as to his preference, but it resulted in no definite decision.

Thaw was erratic, domineering and it was decided to await the arrival here of Roger O'Mara, of Pittsburg, Thaw's detective-guardian. According to the understanding here he will arrive tomorrow night.

Never in the history of Quebec province, or the Dominion of Canada has such a legal snarl within snarl been before the courts.

In brief, Thaw is held on a commitment charging him with being a fugitive from Matteawan, where "he was confined on a criminal charge." This is an error. Acquitted of Stanford White's murder on the ground of insanity, he was held there on no charge, but as a lunatic.

Commitment Defective.

Both sides had admitted that the commitment is defective and it was conceded that he would be released on the writ, when arraigned.

"Why not, then," Thaw's lawyers were asked, by immigration authorities, "cancel, as it were, all your objections to his being held, turn him over to us, have a hearing at Coaticook, where he was first locked up after crossing the border, and we will deport him to Vermont? It will then be up to New York State to extradite him."

But the agents of the immigration authorities here are subordinates and Thaw's lawyers believe that the final decision in the matter of deportation will come from the Minister of the Interior, who at present is in Vancouver on a vacation. Facing such a predicament it was said tonight that the habeas corpus hearing would be held Wednesday.

Another possibility was suggested. Thaw would come into court, plead not guilty to the present charge and demand trial. This, it was said, might not take place until the October term.

"How about it?" Thaw was asked.

"Wait for Roger," he said.

O'Mara was thus literally the missing Keystone in the Thaw forces tonight, and William T. Jerome, Thaw's old enemy and prosecutor, was the missing general of the New York forces. It was said here that Jerome, retained by the New York attorney general's department, would arrive Sunday.

Thaw did not appear particularly disturbed when told Jerome was hurrying here.

"So Willie's coming," he said. "For once in my life I have lawyers who have no tremendous amount of ability, but I am able to confer with them. I have never had a lawyer except Delmas, and maybe a couple of others, who were worth over $25 a day.

"A clique of Stanford White's friends have always pursued me, and they pursued me up here. But their influence is waning. Canadians are learning that New York is trying to treat Canada as a little principality. But I think it was wiser to have come to Canada than to enter Pennsylvania.

"Well, I hope Jerome has a good time here. I have a lot of things on Jerome. I was going to spring them at White Plains in 1908, but decided not to. I'll spring them some time, though."

E. A. Conger, district attorney of Dutchess county, said tonight that, of course, he and Kennedy would be superceded when Jerome comes. "I don't believe all this talk about the agreement to deport Thaw to Newport, Vt.," said Conger. "While I understand the immigration agents here have been instructed to use their discretion in the matter, they are, in my opinion, nothing more than policemen, and I think the decision is up to the Minister of the Interior. He will get Thaw sure. Whether they will deport his to Vermont I can't say. We haven't succeeded, however, in getting even a tentative promise to shoot him across at the New York State line."

PROMINENT FARMER KILLED.

R. F. Smathers Shot by Tenant Over Trivial Argument.

Asheville, N. C., Aug. 23.—R. F. Smathers, 25 years old, a well known farmer and large land owner at Canton, near here, was shot and instantly killed about 7 o'clock tonight by John Waldroup, a tenant on one of Mr. Smathers' farms. Waldroup escaped and is being hunted through the mountains by a band of armed men.

McKinley Gibson, who was standing a short distance away at the time of the shooting declared tonight that he heard the two men arguing about a lock and key and heard Waldroup say "I'll get my gun and put you out of business." A few seconds later the fatal shot was fired. Smathers died almost instantly and Waldroup took to the mountains with which he is perfectly familiar. A posse was quickly formed and went on his trail, but at midnight tonight no trace of the fugitive had been found.

CHARGE WHITE SLAVERY.

Tar Heel Arrested in Georgia for Violation of Mann Act.

Valdosta, Ga., Aug. 23.—R. T. Lushin was arrested here today charged with violating the Mann White Slave Act. Rushin came here from Jacksonville with a young woman who gave her name as Mamie Williams. Both say they are from Charlotte, N. C., although Rushin says his companion is from Columbia, S. C.

Berne, Switzerland, Aug. 23.—Pleasant A. Stovall, of Savannah, Ga., presented his credentials today as United States minister to Switzerland. He succeeds H. S. Boutell, of Illinois.

OUTLINES

Foreign nations are interposing their influence upon the Huerta regime in support of the United States' efforts to bring about an amicable adjustment of Mexican revolutionary troubles.

Bankers will send a delegation to Washington to recommend to Congress certain amendment in the pending Currency Bill.

Harry K. Thaw's counsel are now debating whether it is better to produce the prisoner to the court on writ of habeas corpus, or abandon the writ and submit to deportation.

With the closing argument of the prosecution in the trial of Leo M. Frank, for the murder of Mary Phagan, yet unfinished, an adjournment was ordered until Monday.

New York markets: Money on call nominal, no loans. Flour quiet. Wheat steady. Corn easy. Rosin steady. Turpentine steady. Spot cotton steady; middling uplands 12.30; middling gulf 12.55; sales 80 bales.

WILMINGTON GETS $500,000

President McQueen Arranges for a Half Million for Murchison National to Move Crops—C. F. & Y. V. Suit.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Wilmington, N. C., Aug. 23.—H. C. McQueen, of the Murchison National Bank, of Wilmington, made final arrangements here today to get $500,000 of the government loan which is to be distributed for the movement of crops. The [illegible] sent to Wilmington immediately. Mr. McQueen said he was delighted with Mr. McAdoo's plan and believed it would be of great benefit to the State. Raleigh, Greensboro and Charlotte, will get amounts ranging from $200,000 to $500,000 each.

C. F. & Y. V. Suit.

Attorney A. L. Brooks, of Greensboro, held another conference with officials of the Department of Justice today in connection with the suit being brought against the Southern and the Atlantic Coast Line railways to have the Cape Fear & Yadkin Valley railroad restored and thus give the State a competitive freight and passenger service from the coast to the mountains.

After his conference Mr. Brooks said he was well satisfied with the status of the case. Further than to say that "future developments hold great prospect for relief," the Greensboro man would not discuss the proposed suit.

Simmons and Underwood Agree.

Senator Simmons said tonight that when next Saturday night rolls around, the Simmons-Underwood tariff bill will either have reached the final vote or he would be ready to call for the final test the first thing the following week. Senator Simmons said he had already held a conference with Representative Underwood and that his views and those of the House leader were so near alike that the conferees would have little difficulty in reaching the final agreement on the bill. P. R. A.

CROP MOVING FUND GOING OUT.

Government Rapidly Distributing the Fifty Millions of Dollars.

Washington, Aug. 23.—The government's $50,000,000 crop moving fund is being rapidly forwarded to the various cities in which the National banks have complied with the conditions imposed by the Treasury Department.

Banks in several Southern cities already have sent their list of securities to the department for approval and these are being examined as to their acceptability.

While the exact amount of deposits already placed has not been announced at the department, it is understood several hundred thousand dollars have been sent into the larger reserve cities in the South to aid in moving the cotton crops.

The department today completed the list of cities in that section where the deposits are to be made. It includes Birmingham, Mobile and Montgomery, Ala.; Little Rock, Ark.; Jacksonville, Pensocola, and Tampa, Fla.; Atlanta, Augusta, Macon and Savannah, Ga.; Lexington and Louisville, Ky.; New Orleans and Shreveport, La.; Jackson, Meridian and Vicksburg, Miss.; Charlotte, Greensboro, Raleigh and Wilmington, N. C.; Muskogee and Oklahoma City, Okla.; Charleston, Columbia, Greenville and Spartanburg, S. C.; Chattanooga, Knoxville, Memphis and Nashville, Tenn.; Fort Worth, Galveston, Houston and San Antonio, Tex.; Lynchburg, Norfolk, Richmond and Roanoke, Va., and Wheeling, W. Va.

Twenty-eight cities in Central and far Western States also were selected.

WOMAN ELECTED PRESIDENT.

Only Female Head of Railroad Company in the South.

Bainbridge, Ga., Aug. 23.—At a meeting of the directors of the Georgia, Alabama & Florida Railroad today, Mrs. Cora B. Williams, was elected president, succeeding her husband, the late Capt. J. P. Williams. Mrs. Williams is believed to be the only woman in the South who is president of a railroad.

POWERS FAVOR PLAN FOR PEACE IN MEXICO

Want Huerta to Accept Proposal of the United States.

Wilson Permits Exportation of Ammunition to Huerta.

TENSE EXPECTANCY PREVAILS

Mexican Authorities Now Hope to Prolong Negotiations With United States—Huerta in Bad Way Financially.

Washington, Aug. 23.—Great Britain, France and Japan are among the nations which have interposed their influence upon the Huerta administration in Mexico in support of the effort sof the United States to bring about a peaceful settlement of the revolution.

While administration officials were silent today regarding this phase of the situation there was a lively interest manifest in diplomatic circles here as to the probable effect of foreign pressure on the Huerta Government.

It was learned that the Mexican authorities hoped President Wilson would not read his message to Congress next Tuesday, as he had planned, and showed a disposition to prolong the negotiations. Unless some tangible overtures, however, are received within 48 hours from the Huerta officials, indicating a desire to accept the fundamental proposals of the United States, the President will proclaim to Congress, and to the world, the attitude of this government toward the Southern republic.

The fact that diplomats from some of the very countries which not only have formally recognized Huerta, but whose bankers hitherto have floaed loans for him, are using their influence on the Mexican administration is calculated to produce something definite shortly.

Huerta Regime Desperate.

Official reports to the Washington administration show the Huerta regime to be in desperate financial straights with little prospects of getting funds anywhere to meet the running expenses of the government to pay its troops, already restive because of deferred payments.

So important is this aspect of the situation regarded that an air of tense expectancy prevailed tonight in official circles where it was believed some pronouncement will be forthcoming from Mexico City before President Wilson finally determined to communicate his message to Congress.

The insistence of the United States on a constitutional election and the elimination of Huerta was reiterated positievly by administration officials—a position which Mr. Lind has been instructed to emphasize. Only concessions by the Huetra Government, it is believed here now would persuade President Wilson to hold up the presentation of his message.

The President's Message.

The President finished the document, read it over to Secretary Bryan and will discuss it Monday wit hmembers of the Senate and House committees on foreign relations. In the meantime officials will await word from Mexico City, as to a possible change of attitude.

The sending of a special envoy from Mexico to Washington further to discuss the situation with President Wilson is regarded here as a dilatory move. It is known that the Washington has made it clear that such a procedure would not alter the views expressed in its first note. It is believed, however, that the Huerta officials now have abandoned the ideas of sending an envoy, and are seeking to develop a new basis for negotiations.

2,000 Rifles to Huerta.

President Wilson has granted permission for the exportation of 2,000 rifles and 850,000 cartridges to the Huerta Government. All but 1,000 rifles which go to Vera Cruez from New Orleans will be shipped from El Paso via Juarez. Some of the latter already have gone.

Although it was the first permission granted since June 25th and many applications have been turned down it was declared no change had been made in the government's policy and officials pointed out that the neutrality proclamation permitted the President to authorize shipments in his discretion.

Unofficially it is said that the United States is not opposed to having he Huerta garrison, at Juarez well armed, to discourage attack and a battle on the border with its consequent complications. Neither is this government opposed to seeing the line of communication between Vera Cruz and Mexico City kept open as an avenue o fagress for foreigners in Mexico City.

No general shipments will be permitted.

Investigate Killing By Federals.

Secretary Bryan today ordered American Consul Letcher at Chihuahua to investigate the reported killing by Federals of Edward Hayes an American aid and unnamed negro connected with the Madera Lumber Company. The consul also was instructed to demand of the military commander of Chihuahua that the guerillas who killed an American namer Griffen near Churuchupa on July 6th, and who assaulted Arch F. Parks, be adequately punished.

Insufficient Border Protection.

With only three American soldiers available for the protection o feach mile of the Mexican borde rand certain knowledge that quantities of arms

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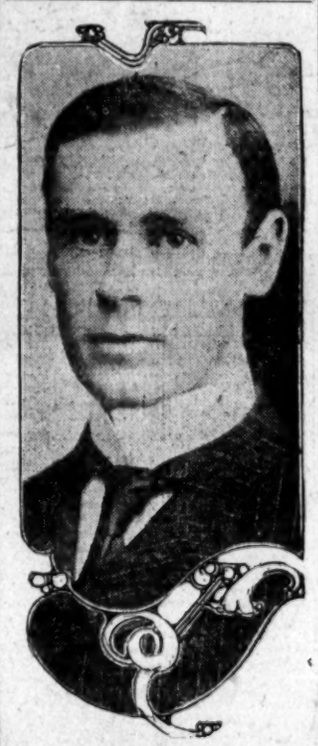
Governor of Philippines



Washington, Aug. 23.—Representative Francis Burton Harrison, of New York, recently confirmed as Governor General of the Philippines, will not resign his seat in Congress until he learns of the plans of Governor General Forbes, the retiring head of the Philippine government. Mr. Harrison, who is arranging his affairs for the departure of himself and Mrs. Harrison for Manila, was given an informal farewell reception tonight by a Congressional committee at the home of Representative Kent, of California. Many public men and other friends of Mr. Harrison attended.

RAPID PROGRESS ON TARIFF

Senate Committee Disposes of Wool Schedule—Only a Few Features of the Bill Now Remain for Consideration.

Washington, Aug. 23.—Rapid progress on the tariff bill was made today in the Senate. The wool schedule was disposed of so far as it will be considered by the Senate in Committee of the Whole, and a deep inroad was made into the free list.

Though no vote was taken on free raw wool, the decisive showing on that having been deferred until the bill comes from the Committee of the Whole, the Finance committee rates on wool manufactures were agreed to without amendment, and there was every indication that raw wool would remain free. The Penrose, LaFollette, Smoot and Catron substitutes for the schedule will come up when the bill appears in the Senate proper.

With only a part of the free list, a portion of the paper schedule and the sundries schedule remaining to be considered in committee, Democratic leaders expressed confidence that the income tax would be disposed of before the end of the coming week. It was their hope to have the bill ready for the final vote in the Senate within two weeks.

Among the articles on the free list ratified today were agricultural implements and sugar cane machinery, alcohol, horses and mules and animals for breeding, apatete, asbestos, bauxite, Bibles, bread, biscuits, and many others.

UNDERHILL FOUND GUILTY.

Jury Returns Verdict of Manslaughter in Heath Murder Case.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Kinston, N. C., Aug. 23.—The case of State against James Underhill and Joe Tisdale, for murder of Carlysle Heath on the night of June 21st, was concluded at noon today and the jury took the case at one o'clock. Three hours later a verdict of guilty of manslaughter as to Underhill and not guilty as to Tisdale was returned.

The case occupied nearly three days in Superior Court. The defense built up its case around the statement of het defendants that Underhill was shooting at negro with whom they had had altercation while the State tried to prove that Underhill mistook Heath in the darkness for Thos. Askew, with whom he had had altercation a week before.

ADJOUDNED UNTIL MONDAY

Argument of Prosecution in Frank Trial Still Unfinished.

Atlanta, Ga., Aug. 23.—With the closing argument of the prosecution in the trial of Leo M. Frank for the mudder of Mary Phagan still uncompleted, Judge Roan today ordered an adjournment until Monday morning. In expectation that Solicitor General Hugh Dorsey would finish his speech the court remained sitting until nearly 2 o'clock. Mr. Dorsey, however, announced that he intended to read the statement made by Frank and to comment theron at length. He indicated that this would require some time, and Judge Roan at once adjourned court.

GLYNN HOLDS LEAD IN NEW YORK STATE

Is in Practical Possession of the Gubernatorial Machinery.

QUIETLY ISOLATES SULZER

The Lieutenant Governor Entrenching Himself Behind the Legal Ramparts of Attorney General's Office—Action.

Albany, N. Y., Aug. 23.—The close of the second week of rival governorship camp at the Capitol finds acting Governor Martin H. Glynn in practical possession of most of the machinery of State, so far as surface indications go.

Mr. Glynn has adhered rigidly to his programme of quietly isolating Governor Sulzer. He has made no spectacular attack upon the Sulzer fortress, but all the while has been entrenching himself behind the legal ramparts furnished by the attorney general's office by means of which some of the main State departments avowedly and others tacitly, have acknowledged allegiance to his authority. According to the Glynn adherents, the State prison department is the only big wheel in the commonwealth's machinery that is turning openly for Governor Sulzer.

So careful has Acting Governor Glynn been to avoid anything savoring of a physical contest, or which might precipitate an appeal to the courts, that he has not carried out his previously announced intention of requisitioning members of the gubernatorial clerical force who continue in Mr. Sulzer's service.

Sulzer Reticent.

Governor Sulzer continues to observe the policy of silence which he has followed since impeachment. If any steps have been taken on his behalf to bring the Governorship controversy into court, they have been concealed.

The Glynn partisans regarded as another feather in their cap the honoring of Mr. Glynn's requisition for a fugitive in Chicago by Governor Dunne of Illinois, as announced in a telegram from Chicago late today.

New York, Aug. 23.—Alton B. Parker, Democratic nominee for President in 1904, will conduct the impeachment proceedings against Governor Sulzer next month before the court of impeachment, according to announcement made here today by Aaron J. Levy, majority leader of the Assembly.

CHARGES AGAINST M'DERMOTT.

Mulhall Tells of Bribe Offered to Representative from Illinois.

Washington, Aug. 23.—Martin M. Mulhall, confessed lobbyist, testified to the House Lobby committee today that Representative McDermott, of Illinois, told him he received $2,000 from brewery interests during the 1912 campaign for "something that was to be done here."

Mulhall said that John A. McDermott, of New York, a cousin of the representative; a Mr. Fleming, a brewer's agent and a brother-in-law of the Congressman, and I. H. McMichael, one time page of the House, also told him about the $2,000. Representative McDermott told him his cousin promised $5,000.

Mulhall told the committee McDermott's cousin said the $2,000 was paid to Representative McDermott for his part in the Cannon rules fight of 1910 by the Brewers' Association. Mulhall repeated his charge that Representative McDermott had forged his endorsement to a $250 check given to him in the 1912 campaign by Harold F. McCormick.

Hugh Harvey, of the Washington Retail Liquor Dealers' Association, told the committee the organization had loaned $500 to Congressman McDermott last September and never had been repaid.

Harvey said McDermott gave a 90-day note for the $500. The note was put in a bank. He knew of no serious effort to collect, although it had been running now for almost a year. Members of the committee expressed surprise that McDermott should borrow money from Washington liquor dealers when he might have got it in his home city. Harvey agreed it did look strange now, although he hadn't thought of it at that time. He denied McDermott was asked to aid the liquor men against the District of Columbia excise law when it was up last session. He said he knew of no other loans to Congressmen by his association.

"If Congressman McDermott has ever done anything for us," he said emphatically, "I do not know it."

"Has Mr. McDermott ever expressed any intention of paying the note?" he was asked.

"I asked him today if he intended to pay it," said Harvey, "and he said he did."

ATLANTIC FLEET.

Approaching Virgina Capes With Midshipmen Aboard.

Norfolk, Va., Aug. 23.—With midshipmen on board, nearly every ship of the Atlantic fleet, at a late hour tonight was approaching the Virginia Capes. The fleet is expected to steam up Chesapeake Bay to Annapolis tomorrow to put the midshipmen ashore. The fleet will then return to Hampton Roads to prepare for target practice.

Vincent Astor is on board the battleship Utah. His yacht Noma sailed today for Annapolis to await the arrival of her owner. The Noma is scheduled to sail Sunday afternoon for Maine with Vincent Astor on board.

HOW GREAT MEN PLAY THE GAME -:- By Scar

IN THE PEG TO SECOND TO HEAD OFF A STEAL GIBSON STEPS OVER THE PLATE TO FREE HIMSELF OF BATTER AND UMPIRE WHILE MAKING THE TOSS
GEO. GIBSON
CATCHER OF THE PITTSBURGH "PIRATES"
HE GETS THE TIMID BATTERS NERVES BY HAVING THE PITCHER WHIP THE BALL CLOSE INTO THEM
AND DID YOU EVER NOTICE?
HE PREVENTS YOUNG PITCHERS FROM GETTING WORRIED ABOUT WHAT IS GOING ON AROUND FIRST BASE BY MAKING THEM KEEP THEIR EYES ON HIM ALL THE TIME

GIANTS SWEEP THE BOARDS

Took Final From the Cubs—Phils Dropped Two Games to Pirates—Dodgers Defeated Reds—Braves Won.

The Giants made the Chicago series a clean sweep by taking the final game yesterday by a 3 to 2 score, Rube Marquard twirling effective ball throughout the whole of the game without need of assistance. Johnny Evers and Heinie Zimmerman were benched in the seventh for "ragging" His Umps. The Giants now have a lead of 12 games over Dooin's Daisies, but they expect to "catch up" before the next Western invasion, with only about 11 games to be played.

The Pittsburg Pirates ended the series with the Phillies yesterday by winning a double-header, making the series three won and one tied out of the four games played. In each game the Pirate pitcher was knocked out early in the game, but opportune rallies at the bat caused Dooin to use four twirlers in each game.

The Brooklyn Highlanders won yesterday's game from the Reds in the first inning by putting five runs across the rubber, while the Reds were unable to better two runs in the entire game. Suggs was succeeded early in the game by Packard, who held the locals runless.

The Boston Braves batted two Cardinal pitchers out yesterday, and won the final by an 8 to 4 score.

Giants Sweep All.

New York, Aug. 23.—New York made it a clean sweep over Chicago today, the visitors locing 3 to 2. Evers and Zimmerman were put off the field in the seventh inning for nagging Umpire Rigler.

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New York	110	010	00x	3	9 2

Smith, Lavender and Archer; Marquard and McLean and Wilson; time 1:54; umpires Rigler and Byron.

Pirates Progress.

Philadelphia, Aug. 23.—Pittsburg's hard hitting caused two defeats for Philadelphia here today by 10 to 5 and 13 to 8. In each game the home team knocked the opposing pitcher off the rubber in the early inning, but the visitors rallied at the bat and caused Manager Dooin to use four twirlers in each contest. Cooper lasted only one inning in the second game and Luhrson, formerly of Albany, Ga., held Philadelphia down for the balance of the game.

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Philadelphia	012	000	200	5	10 1

McQuillan, Hendrix and Gibson and Simon; Alexander, Seaton, Marshall, Imlay and Killifer and Howley; time 2:03; umpires Brennan and Eason.

Second game:

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Philadelphia	401	002	001	8	15 2

Cooper, Luhrsen and Simon; Brennan, Seaton, Imlay, Rixey and Killifer and Howley; time 2:25; umpires Eason and Brennan.

Dodgers.

Brooklyn, Aug. 23.—Brooklyn won from Cincinnati today in the first inning. The final count was 5 to 2. Packard, who succeeded Suggs, held the locals runless. The visitors had to earn both their runs.

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Brooklyn	500	000	00x	5	8 2

Suggs, Packard and Clark; Reulbachand Miller; time 1:35; umpires Klem and Orth.

Boston's Batfest.

Boston, Aug. 23.—Boston batted two St. Louis pitchers hard today and won 8 to 4. Whaling, spiked on his right hand by Konetchy in the seventh, withdrew from the game.

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Boston	042	020	00x	8	15 2

Perritt, Harmon and Wingo; Perdue, Tyler and Whaling and Rariden; time 1:41; umpires O'Day and Emslie.

Bathing and music at Carolina Beach today and tonight. Str. Wilmington leaves 9 A. M., 2:30 and 7:30 P. M. (advertisement.)

THE LEADING SWATTERS

The Ten Leading Big Stick Men in Each League for the Week Ending Last Thursday.

No serious shake-ups in the relative standing of the big batters in the American League took place during the week ending last Thursday, the line-up still reading "Jackson-Cobb—Speaker—Hendrickson," but Larry Lajoie, the veteran Clevelander, took the place of D. Murphy in fifth. Of the twelve leaders in the American circuit, it is a noticeable fact that lacking one, half of them are members of Connie Mack's aggregation of sluggers—five out of twelve against the seven other teams not being bad at all. One of them, Eddie Collins, has also crossed the home plate a total of 102 times, leading the field in this particular.

The National column shows Earl Yingling, the Brooklyn twirler and Cy McDonald, Boston, still leading the van, but by a narrow margin. Walsh, of the Phillies having taken a stand this week directly under them, with a showing of .357, coming up from sixth place during the week. The noticeable feature in the N. L. is that only two out of the twelve leaders have seen service in 100 games during the season, Daubert and Viox. The balance of them, barring McDonald, Miller and Zimmerman, are utility men, who have not been compelled to go the pace which would probably land them in a lower compartment.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Player:	G.	A.B.	R.	H.	Avg.
Jackson, Cleve	113	390	85	157	.393
Cobb, Det	86	291	49	112	.385
Speaker, Bos	113	421	82	153	.363
Hendrickson, Bos	28	37	7	13	.351
Lajoie, Cleve	101	338	45	116	.343
Baker, Ath	114	438	89	150	.342
E. Collins, Ath	114	411	102	140	.341
McInnis, Ath	114	415	58	140	.337
Gandil, Wash	107	400	44	130	.325
D. Murphy, Ath	35	54	3	17	.315
Strunck, Ath	77	256	20	79	.309
Crawford, Det	116	457	67	139	.304

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Player:	G.	A.B.	R.	H.	Avg.
Yingling, Bklyn	28	37	7	14	.378
McDonald, Bos	67	144	23	52	.361
Walsh, Phila	24	28	3	10	.357
Daubert, Bklyn	100	391	66	139	.357
Hyatt, Pittsb	45	63	7	22	.349
R. Miller, Phila	52	68	5	23	.338
Gibson, Pittsb	35	92	6	31	.337
W. Collins, Bos	28	3	3	1	.333
Viox, Pittsb	100	361	64	120	.332
Zimmerman, Chic	95	340	53	112	.329
D. Brown, Bos	16	34	3	11	.324
Hess, Bos	24	57	6	18	.316

∴ STANDING OF THE TEAMS ∴

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	Won.	Lost.	P.C
Philadelphia	77	39	.664
Cleveland	69	49	.585
Washington	65	50	.565
Chicago	63	60	.512
Boston	57	57	.500
Detroit	51	69	.425
St. Louis	48	75	.390
New York	40	73	.351

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	Won.	Lost.	P.C
New York	80	37	.696
Philadelphia	65	44	.596
Chicago	62	55	.530
Pittsburgh	62	55	.530
Brooklyn	51	60	.459
Boston	49	64	.434
St. Louis	43	75	.395
Cincinnati	48	73	.396

RESULTS YESTERDAY

At St. Louis 2; Washington 4.
At Cleveland 3; Boston 4.
At Chicago 7; Philadelphia 4.
At Detroit 8; New York 1.
2nd: Detroit 2; New York 4.

At Boston 8; St. Louis 4.
At Philadelphia 5; Pittsburg 10.
2nd: Philadelphia 8; Pittsburg 13.
At Brooklyn 5; Cincinnati 2.
At New York 3; Chicago 2.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

Washington at Chicago.
Boston at Detroit.
Philadelphia at St. Louis.
New York at Cleveland.

No games scheduled.

IN THE MINORS

South Atlantic League.

At Albany 1; Jacksonville 5.
At Savannah 2; Charleston 1.
At Macon 1; Columbus 5.

Southern League.

At Birmingham 6; New Orleans 5.
2nd: Birmingham 12; New Orleans 0
At Chattanooga 3; Memphis 7.
2nd: Chattanooga 10; Memphis 0.
At Nashville 6; Mobile 8.
At Atlanta 8; Montgomery 1.

Virgina League.

At Portsmouth 5; Norfolk 9.
2nd: Portsmouth 2; Norfolk 6.
At Newport News 0; Roanoke 6.
2nd: Newport News 4; Roanoke 2.
At Richmond 0; Petersburg 4.
2nd: Richmond 2; Petersburg 5.

American Association.

At Toledo 1; Columbus 0.
2nd: Toledo 2; Columbus 3.
At Louisville 7; Indianapolis 2.
2nd: Louisville 4; Indianapolis 1.
At St. Paul 4; Milwaukee 3.
At Kansas City 5; Minneapolis 7.

International League.

At Rochester 2; Baltimore 5.
2nd: Rochester 3; Baltimore 5.
At Toronto 3; Providence 2.
2nd: Toronto 6; Providence 3.
At Buffalo 2; Jersey City 0.
2nd: Buffalo 4; Jersey City 2.
At Montreal 3; Newark 2.

Appalachian League.

At Knoxvile 0; Morristown 1.
At Johnson City 6; Rome 7.
2nd: Johnson City 2; Rome 1.

CAROLINA LEAGUE

Results Yesterday

At Charlotte 3; Winston 4.
2nd: Charlotte 2; Winston 4.
At Greensboro 5; Durham 4.
2nd: Greensboro 1; Durham 0.
At Raleigh 8; Asheville 4.

Standing of the Teams

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Winston	60	47	.561
Durham	57	47	.548
Asheville	56	49	.533
Raleigh	55	49	.529
Greensboro	44	53	.454
Charlotte	43	62	.409

YESTERDAY'S UNOFFICIAL AVERAGES.

Chicago, Aug. 23.—Jake Daubert almost reached the top among National League batsmen this week. Only Earl Yingling Brooklyn's hard-hitting pitcher, is ahead of ubert his teammate, but Ying in only 28 games while Daubert has ling's average of .378 has been held played in 105 for a percentage of 357. Walsh of Philadelphia is tied with Daubert in average though his games number only 25.

Just six points separate Cobb from Jackson in the American gue. The Detroit man is hitting for .385 while Jackson's average for 112 games is .391.

Bert Humphries of Chicago, pushed himself into the lead among the National League pitchers, while Johnson of Washington tops the American Leaguers. Humphries has won 12 and lost three games for a percentage of 800. Johnson 28 victories to his credit and only five defeats for an average of .848.

CITY LEAGUE GAMES.

Company B Defeated Rattlers and Giants the Athletics.

Company B defeated the Rattlers in the first game at Hilton yesterday afternoon by a 5 to 2 score. The game was featured by the fast fielding of Company B, preventing the Rattlers from scoring more than two runs in the eighth inning by a swift double play with all bases occupied. Boswell's hitting was also a feature of the game, getting four hits, one of them for an extra base. Batteries: Boswell and Wilson; Burnett and Register.

In the second game the Giants won from the Athletics, 6 to 3. Holt for the Giants, allowed 10 hits, but only in the fifth were they bunched for effective use, the Athletics scoring two run. Davis secured four hits in as many times at bat, one a two-base hit scoring two runs. Shepard, Sellars and Carr also hit for extra bases. Standing of the clubs:

	W	L	Pct.
Company B	12	3	.800
Giants	8	6	.571
Rattlers	6	10	.375
Athletics	4	11	.266

LAWN TENNIS TOURNAMENT.

Johnson and Williams—Win Over Strachan and Washburn.

Newport, R. I., Aug. 23.—Wallace F. Johnson and R. Norris Williams, second, won their way int othe semi final round o fthe all-comers singles championship today defeating J. R. Strachan and W. M. Washburn, respectively in the sixth day's play of the States National Lawn Tennis Association tournament of the United ciation.

MACKMEN AGAIN DEFEATED

White Sox Find Athletics Easy—Naps Went Down Before Champs—Senators Defeated Browns—Tigers and Yanks Divided.

Bunching hits off Brown and Bush at effective intervals, together with spectacular fighting and base running, the Chicago White Sox defeated the Philadelphia Athletics, a ninth inning rally by the Mackman aavilng them nothing that would change the credit for the game. Cocotte twirled a fine game for the White Sox, but allowed ten well scatter hits.

The Cleveland Naps were defeated by the Boston Red Sox, the Champions making it three straights for the series. Blanding was hit all over the lot, the first five men facing him singling successively in the first inning, giving the Red Sox a lead o fthree runs to star.

The Washington Senaors wih Engle on he mound, won from the St. Louis Browns four to two. The Senators hit the Brown pitcher for a total of ten hits, the majority of which were grouped in three innings.

The Detroit Tigers and the New Yorq Yankees duplicated their performance of Friday, dividing a double header., the Tigers taking the first by eight to one score and the Yanks retaliating in the second, four to two.

Athletic Anguish.

Chicago, Aug. 23.—Chicago defeated Philadelphia today 7 to 4 by bunching hits off Brown and Bush. The League leaders started a rally in the ninth but could not overcome Chicago's lead.

Chcago	203	100	10x	7	10 1
Phla	000	020	002	4	12 1

Brown, Bush and Schang, Davs; Cotte and Schalk. Tme 2:10. Umpres Connolly and McGreevy.

Champs Climbng.

Cleveland, August 23.—Boston made t three straght from Cleveland today vnnng 4 to 3. A lead established in the first inning was never overcome by Cleveland, the first five Boston players to face Blanding in the first inning singled in order.

Cleveland	020	000	001	3	7 1
Boston	200	010	000	4	14 4

Blanding, Cullop and O'Neill; Collins and Carrigan. Time 1:53. Umpires O'Loughlin and Sheridan.

Senators Smile.

St. Louis, Aug. 23.—Washington hit the local pitchers hard today and defeated St. Louis 4 to 2. The game was exciting and characterized by brilliant fielding by both clubs.

Washington	100	000	003	4	10 0
St. Louis	100	000	010	2	6 2

Engle Hughes and Henry; Baumgardner and Agnew. Time 1:45. Umpires Dineen and Egan.

Another Division.

Detroit, Aug. 23.—Detroit and New York repeated yesterday's performances in today's double healder. Tikers hit the ball all over the field and won the first game 8 to 1. Chance's men knocked Lake from the box in two innings, hammered House for four hits and two runs in the third and took the second contest 4 to 2.

New York	000	001	000	1	5 2
Dertoit	112	300	10x	8	13 0

Fisher and Gossett; DuBuc and Stanage. Time 1:43. Umpires Evans and Ferguson.

Second game——

New York	022	000	000	4	11 1
Detroit	001	000	010	2	6 2

Caldwell and Sweeney; Lake, House and McKee. Time 1:42. Umpires Ferguson and Evans.

HABEAS CORPUS GRANTED.

Prisoner Not Subject to Extradiction From Georgia.

Atlanta, Ga., August 23.—Holding that the prisoner was not subject to extradition because he had not entered Georgia with the intention of escaping justice, Circuit Judge Bell today granted the habeas corpus petition of Onley McCormick, arrested recently on a Pennsylvania state charge immediately after he had been released from the Federal penitntiary. McCormick had served a term of twenty months for using the mails to defraud.

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COBB VS. JACKSON

Friday's engagements gave Cobb a shade the better of the batting. The Georgia Peach was in two games, at bat nine times for a total of five hits, while Jackson in one game went up four times for two safeties. Cobb went up to the .390 mark, but the wire last night told that he failed to night, but the Clevelander also fell back. Jackson has .395 up to Friday night, but the Clevelande ralso fell on in yesterday's game, to .391.

	G.	AB.	R.	H.	Ave.
Jackson	114	403	.85	157	.395
Cobb	88	300	.52	117	.390

BROWNS ARE ON THE BLINK

Poor Attendance During Present Season Causes Talk of Transferring the Franchise to Another City.

St. Louis, Aug. 23.—What's the matter with St. Louis? Folks in the East think that the Yankees are in bad light, but the New Yorkers looked so much better than the Missiourians Thursday that Ban Johnson's visit here is timely. The American League Czar has sent word that he would be here this afternoon to talk over the St. Louis situation with Owner Hedges, Stovall and certain newspaper men. The league potentate recognizes that baseball is pretty nearly dead in St. Louis and he thinks he can produce a remedy.

Thursday only 1,100 people saw New York beat the Browns and that includes the pass gate. People here no longer patronize the game, either at the American or National League parks. For that matter, the Federal League doesn't draw either. There was a time when this city was known as the most loyal of all burgs, but continued disaster has finally sickened the patrons, and while 10,000 people visit the new public bathing pond a measly 1,100 go to see the cellar champions fight it out.

It is just possible that St. Louis may beat it out of the circuit and some other city take its place. Secretary Tom Davis, of the New York club, was disgusted yesterday at the showing. In Chicago the Yankees drew splendid crowds, because they are playing just as good ball as the Athletics now, what with the four pitchers going like demons and Sweeney turning back nearly every man who tries to steal.

"None of the clubs are making any money out here," said Davis. "Even the Sunday attendance has fallen away. I can not explain it, but the local jump is beginning to be a hardship, considering that a visiting club is barely able to make expenses."

Ban Johnson may decide to shift the circuit. For example, either Baltimore or Buffalo would be a better paying proposition than St. Louis. Many managers have had a go at this team, but not since the days of Comiskey has there been a pennant winner here.

NOTED PUGILIST DEAD.

Concussion of Brain the Cause—His Opponent Held for Manslaughter

Los Angeles, Cal., August 23.—John ("Bull") Young, Jr., the prize fighter who was knocked out last night by Jess Willard, died today at the hospital where an operation was performed early today to relieve cerebral hemorrhage. The surgeons who performed the operation gave concussion of the brain as the cause.

Jess Willard who has been placed under technical arrest after the fight last night, pending the outcome of Young's injuries was tagen into custody by Deputy Sheriffs on a charge of manslaughter immediately after Young died.

The promoters of the fight, Thomas J. McCarty and Al. Greenwald and the referee Charles Eyton gave themselves up to the authorities when they learned of Young's death.

Besides Willard, Greenwald McCarry, Eyton, the warrant called for Harry Gilmore, Jr., Willard's manager, Tom Jones Young's manager; A. Harder, time-keeper at the Vernon arena; Jim Cameron, a negro fighter, "Jack" Davies, Charles Anslinger and Eddie Harry Monahan, Young's trainer, and Webster. The last four acted as seconds.

Manslaughter is the charge and at the district attorney's office it was said bail probably would range from $10,000 for Willard down to $1,000 each for the seconds.

Norfolk, Va., Aug. 23.—The battleship Illinois having aboard midshipmen from Annapolis which returned to sea after coming into Hampton Roads some days ago, passed in the Virgina Capes again today and proceeded up Chesapeake Bay for Annapolis.

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In The Sportlight's Glare

¶News and Reviews of Doings in the World of Sports--Mostly Baseball : :

SETTING THE STAGE.

Not only the pennant winners but also the runners-up seem now to have clinched their positions in both big leagues, though six weeks of play still remain, and in the American League it would not be taking a very long chance to predict that the end of the season will find each notch in the standing occupied by its present tenant.

Barring one little slump back in late June and early July, the Phillies have traveled practically the same pace as the Giants, and their consistent work makes it almost a certainty that they will land second place in the National campaign, just behind the New Yorkers. The Cubs and Pirates are likely to do a little more interchanging in third and fourth places, but as threateners of the Quakers' number two berth they have passed into antiquity.

The Naps and Senators may yet have an argument for second place in the American League, but the Naps, now having a three or four game lead, seem the better bet.

The White Sox are enough behind to preclude almost any possibility that they will get up again past the Washingtonians. The Red Sox, thoroughly ensconced in fifth position, and the Tigers next, hardly need hope for either better or worse. The only battle left in this league is between the Yankees and Browns for seventh place, and the chances are that the St. Louis entry will manage to keep the Chance charges in the cellar.

The Cincinnati Reds and St. Louis Cardinals are likely to have some more tussling in the basement of the National circuit, but Boston, in sixth place and the Brooklyns in fifth are ten to one bets to wind up there.

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Clarke Griffith's third-place Senators undoubtedly have grabbed more free advertising this year than any other American League team, not even excepting the Athletics. The performances of his sensational pitcher, Walter Johnson, in first making a new world's record for consecutive shut-out innings, then winning ten straight games and later, after losing a few, starting a string of wins that gives him the record of the year, form one of the most interesting angles of the season. Then young Boehling's 11 straight called forth comment. The row with Ban Johnson over allowing Altrock and Schaefer to do their comedy coaching stunts also attracted interest, and the same can be said of Griffith's predictions that the Athletics would crack when Plank lost effectiveness. And on top of it all came that amusing yarn about a mythical $100,000 check that Griffith was to offer for Ty Cobb. Opinions of several Washington scribes are that the noise about the team has made the Senators one of the best drawing outfits in the league away from home.

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The death of President Billy Locke of the Phillies, who often had been called "the most popular man in the business end of baseball" brings up a story that has been discussed at length under the surface, but never printed. When Locke was secretary of the Pittsburg club, he was the restraining influence on Owner Barney Dreyfuss that kept the latter from hampering Fred Clarke in the management of the team. Dreyfuss always was for butting in and telling Clarke how to run his team, and time and again he also would secure a player for the team and give the news to the papers before Clarke knew anything about it. He would announce in the morning sheets that such and such a new man was to make his debut in the afternoon and Clarke had to put the player in the game just to spare his poss mental pangs. The owner interfered in many other ways, but Locke, with sound reasoning, always kept him from doing more. This year with Locke gone to Philadelphia, Dreyfuss is said to have cut loose and followed his own ideas. When the team was down in the ruck after a few weeks of play, he is said to have made Clarke do things his way and as a result the team didn't get going at all until hopelessly late. If all this is true, the injury jinx will not have to take all the blame for the Pirates' sorry showing.

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When two well known players were sent by a big league team recently to the minors, a few of the fans in the big league town who had been habitual knockers of the pair declared that the deal indicated they were not worth $1,500 for which amount any other team in the league could have had them by the waiver route. The funny part of it is that the men in question would be bought gladly by several other clubs for at least $2,000. The rival clubs have made an agreement to help this particular club along by waiving on its request, thereby making it possible for the club to engineer deals with minor league clubs for new blood and retain options on the men in question. This has occurred several times before in big league history.

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Pitcher Tincup and Infielder Hazelip, just bought by the Phillies, are appropriately named Indians, and would be still more so if a third redskin should be signed named Firewater.

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The poor hitting of Chief Meyers this year has occasioned much comment among puzzled Giant fans. The alleged reason has just leaked out. It dates back to the last world's series. Joe Wood, finding it impossible to puzzle the chief with his fast ball, tried a curve on him. It worked like a charm and the Indian did not get anything else to bat at from Wood during the rest of the series. As a result he was a toy in the hands of the Bostonian, who has not only a world of speed but one of the best curve balls in the game when right. Players of other National League teams who saw the series passed the tip around at the start of this season. As a result, when Meyers comes to bat, the usual procedure now is not to give him a base on balls, but to throw curves to him.

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It has been learned from a reliable source that the rumor of Harry Smith becoming manager of the Brooklyn Nationals next year is true. The doughty leader of the Newark Indians, who are winning the first pennant the town ever had, is not, however, the choice of President Ebbets of the Dodgers. Ebbets still thinks Bad Bill Dahlen will deliver, but the McKeever brothers, who put up most of the money for Ebbet's Field, the new stadium, are the real power in the club, it is said, and they are the ones who have decided to give Smith a chance. Dahlen was holding his job this year only as a filler-in, according to talk in Brooklyn. According to men who ought to know, Jimmy Sheckard was practically signed up last Winter to be the leader of the Dodgers this year, but premature publicity spoiled the deal with the Cubs. Smith's engagement may not be announced by the Brooklyn club until well along in the Winter, but it is said to be possible that the official proclamation and the change may come as early as the next two weeks or so, thereby giving Smith a chance to get acquainted with the material in hand before beginning the training trip next Spring, which would be a big advantage.

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New York is bound to make a strong bid for the light-weight championship with Young Shugrue, Tommy Murphy, Leach Cross and Johnny Dundee, a recent recruit to the division, as its representatives. It is many years since a local boxer has held a pugilistic championship in any division, Terry McGovern being the last of the big city's title holders, Jack McAuliffe is the only New Yorker who has held the lightweight crown in the last quarter of a century.

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INVESTIGATE PENDER FIRE

Insurance Department Looking Into Burning of School House in Atkinson—Wilmington Industry —State News.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh N. C., Aug. 23.—W. A. Scott, deputy insurance commissioner, has gone to Atkinson, Pender county, to investigate the burning of a school house that is said to constitute a most aggravated case of arson. Deputy Commissioner F. M. Jordan has gone to Tyron to investigate the burning of a drug store, the property of E. E. Misseldine, and reports that he has evidence that the burning was by Isaac Meekins, a negro now in jail at Spartanburg, S. C., charged with arson in that State. Indications are that the authorities in the two States will compare notes and see which has the strongest case and make sure of ample punishment.

New Wilmington Industry.

The Patterson-Kiser Seat Co., of Wilmington, is chartered with $300,000 capital authorized and $25,000 subscribed, by G. W. Patterson, W. L. Clecent and Claude Kiser, for making closet seats and plumber's supplies generally.

Attorney General T. W. Bickett just back from his vacation and getting ready for the opening of the Supreme Cour for the Fall term next week, makes it plain that he will be a candidate for Governor in 1916, but he says the people should by no means be afflicted with a three—years campaign for Governor, as there are many important matters that need to be met and settled in the meantime. He says he has given the matter of his candidacy for Governor consideration and many friends are urging him to get in the race at the proper time.

B. H. Richardson is promoting the establishment of $100,000 cotton mill enterprise for Zebulon, this county, and there is every indication that the company will be organized and the mill established within the next few months.

May Reorganize Bank.

There is a strong prospect now for the Yadkin Valley Bank, of East Bend to be reorganized and opened by the directors and stockholders on a basis that it is expected will avert entirely the losses to stockholders. There are two checks for respectivly $8,000 and $3,200 on hand in the bank, at least one of them by R. B. Horne, that are serious blocks to the plan for reorganibation. However there is a prospect for these to be taken care of and in that event the Corporation Commission will very likely allow there organization without winding up the bank with a receivership. Jno. T. Benbow attorney, is here from Winston-Salem representing the interests ests seeeking to avert receivership and reopen the banks which was closed by the State bank examiner last week on account of shortage of Cashier J. Lee Norman, who, along with R. B. Horne, of Winston-Salem, is under indictment for false entries and embezzlement o fthe funds of the bank.

Governor Craig announces the selection of Wednesday, October 22nd, as North Carolina Day in connection with the National Conservation Exposition, at Knoxville, Tenn. He has named quite a list of delegates from this State to this exposition, which has come to be quite an important affair bringing together leaders in all phases of conservation and exhibits that constitute a really extensive exposition.

White Clerk in Charge.

An order is made from division headquarters at Richmond designating S. M. Lassiter as railway mail clerk in charge on the Norfolk & Southern train between Norfolk & Raleigh and specifying S. W. Hill, who has been clerk in charge several weeks, as helper, the place filled during that time by Lassiter. Hill is a negro and the big newspaper stir recently made over a negro being in charge of this mail car with a white man as helper has brought about the order reversing conditions. The attention of Congressman Small was directed to the condition of affairs brought about through operation of civil service and he started the investigation and protest in Washington that has brought about the order making the white mail clerk chief clerk and the negro clerk the helper. In insisting that this change be made Conugressman Small assured the civil service authorities at Washington that the people in his district and on this line of the Norfolk & Southern would not stand for a negro being placed in charge of a mail car with white clearks as helpers. Mr. Lassiter, the white clerk, has already assumed charge of the mail car on this run and the trouble is over.

BIG ADVENTIST MEETING.

Seventh Day Adventists Have Taken Greensboro by Storm.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Greensboro, N. C., Aug. 23.—With large and interested audiences at all meetings, the Seventh Day Adventists, in annual conference and camp meeting, have taken Greensboro almost by storm. This was their Sabbath and was strictly observed as such. The meeting opened Thursday night for a 10-day session. Tonight crowds lined the streets and camp ground, which is at the corner of North Elm street and Bessemer avenue, near the fashionable residential section of the city.

This is the 13th annual session of the body but never before has a gathering been planned on so elaborate a scale as his time. Not only is there a big crowd of visiting members o fthe denomination, but advertisements have been placed in every office and almost every home in the city, by means of which the attendance is greatly increased by both the curious and those who honestly seek to learn something of the Adventists.

Thursday night the first session was held on the ground, the subject for the evening being "Object of the Meeting." Last night "The Bible and Its Value" was discussed and tonight the subject was "Christ and the Gospel in the Old and New Testaments." The meeting will continue until tomorrow evening week, with interesting and attractive subjects for discussion each night. The day also is full of meetings, no less than eight or ten sessions of one kind or another being held each day.

The camp ground is covered with the tents of the visitors, who are here from all aprt sof North Carolina, together with a number of the leaders of the denomination from distant cities. The group of tents attracts considerable attention; and is something novel for Greensboro. It carries one back to the good old camp meeting of half a century ago, when there were hundreds of such meeting places in the hills of Carolina.

Concert at Carolina Beach afternoon and evening. Steamer Wilmington leaves 9 A. M., 2:30 and 7:30 P. M.
(advertisement.)

ELON CONDEMNS HAZING.

College Bulletin Has Three Powerful Articles on College Problems.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Elon College, N. C., Aug. 23.—The "Opening Number" of the Elon College Bulletin is just from the press of the local publishing house and is being mailed with all dispatch today. It contains 76 pages of as fine reading matter together with 16 half-tone cuts of the college buildings and grounds as your correspondent has ever seen.

This number is dedicated to the class of 1914, and is accordingly bound in black and stamped on its outside cover pages in old gold, the class colors.

The leading article is on "Religious Education" by Dr. Martyn Summerbell and is reprinted from the advance sheets of the author's new book on "Religion in College Life" with the consent of the Fleming H. Revell Co., the publishers. In this article Dr. Summerbell gives it as his deliberate judgment that education without religion is worse than no education.

President Harper contributes two articles that deal with topics of great import in college life. The first is on "Colleges and Citizenship," in which Elon's attitude toward hazing is given full elaboration and in which he declares that college students should be ashamed to ask for special favors when they violate the fundamental laws of human rights and brotherhood.

The second of President Harper's articles, reprinted from the Presbyterian of the South, treats of "Education and Religion." The position in it is taken that higher education must result in religion or irreligion and the reasons it cites are certainly strong ones. The influence of certain powers that be in modern education against the power of the religious life of the Christian type over education is deplored and a due note of warning sounded.

The Bulletin also describes the marvelous improvements that have recently occurred in the college plant, now valued at $300,000, portrays the growth of the faculty by the addition of six new members this year, and sets forth the advantages of the special departments for those asking culture as well as education. This number is a worthy companion of the previous issues of this commendable publication and can but exert a wide influence over thinking educators.

UNIVERSAL PEACE CONGRESS.

Concluding Session Held—Next Meeting Place, Vienna in 1914.

The Hague, Netherlands, August 23.—The 20th Universal Peace Congress held its closing session in the Knights Hall today. The delegates voted to hold the next Congress at Vienna in 1914, and it was decided to take to that Congress the invitation of the Mayor of San Francisco to hold the 1915 congress at San Francisco.

The Peace Congress finished its labors after recording a further series of good intentions and its appreciation of President Wilson's attitude towards peace. The thanks o fthe Congress were communicated by telegraph to President Wilson.

The question of the fortification of the Panama Canal was resurrected today by Professor Slayden of Washington and Professor Slocum of Colorado, who secured the passage of a resolution asking the United States government not to fortify the canal.

In another resolution delegates expressed their satisfaction at President Wilson's proposal for the submission of disputes which could not be settled diplomatically for investigation —by an international committee.

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National Association of Retail Druggists, August 23-27, 1913. Dates of sale, August 22-23-25. Final limit, September 1, 1913. Fares to apply from all stations.

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Biennial Session, Supreme Lodge, Knights of Pythias (colored), August 25-30. Dates of sale, August 22, 23, 24. Final limit, September 4, 1913. Fares apply from all stations.

St. Paul-Minneapolis, Minn.

Sovereign Grand Lodge I. O. O. F. September 15-20. Dates of sale, September 11, 12, 13. Final limit, September 30, 1913. Fares apply from all stations.

Philadelphia, Pa.

Emancipation Proclamation Exposition (colored), September 1-30. Dates of sale August 30 and September 15. Final limit, ten days after date of sale. Fares apply from all stations.

Nashville, Tenn.

National Baptist Convention (colored), September 17-23. Dates of sale, September 14, 15, 16. Final limit, September 26, 1913. Fares apply from all stations.

Chattanooga, Tenn.

Annual Encampment, Grand Army of the Republic and Allied Organizations, September 15-20. Dates of sale, September 12 to 19, inclusive. Final limit, September 27, 1913. Except that by deposit of ticket and payment of 50 cents an extension until October 17 may be obtained. Fares apply from all stations.

New Orleans, La.

Grain Dealers' National Association, October 14-16. Dates of sale, October 11, 12, 13. Final limit, October 18, 1913, except that by deposit of ticket and payment of $1.00 an extension until November 8 may be obtained. Fares apply from all stations.

Tulsa, Okla.

International Dry-Farming Congress and International Soil Products Exposition, October 22-November 1. Dates of sale, October 18, 19, 20, 21. Final limit, November 6, 1913. Fares apply from all stations.

Nashville, Tenn.

Southern Educational Convention, October 30-November 1. Dates of sales, October 28, 29. Final limit, November 5, 1913. Fares apply from all stations.

Knoxville, Tenn.

National Conservation Exposition, September 1-November 1. Dates of sale, August 30 to November 1, inclusive. Final limit: To reach original starting point ten days after date of sale, except that by deposit of ticket and payment of $1.00 a 30-day extension may be obtained, but in no case beyond November 3, 1913. Fares apply from all stations.

New Orleans, La.

United Daughters of the Confederacy, November 11-15. Dates of sale, November 8, 9, 10, 11. Final limit, November 19, 1913, except that deposit of ticket and payment of $1.00 an extension until December 6 may be obtained. Fares apply from all stations.

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(advertisement.)

KENNEDY MEMORIAL HOME.

Branch of Thomasville Orphanage Nearing Completion.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Kinston, N. C., Aug. 23.—The brick work on the two dormitories as the Kennedy Memorial Home, the new eastern branch of the Thomasville Baptist Orphanage located near here, is about completed and the buildings will be finished in a few weeks. It is expected that the institution will be in readiness to accommodate some of the orphons who now cannot be cared for at the main home by January 1st. Hartwell Scarboro, of Murfreesboro, N. C., has been appointed superintendent of the institution and will take charge the first of September.

The Kennedy home will support about 50 children in the first few months of its operation, but it is the intention of its promoters to rapidly enlarge it until it becomes a healthy school similar in size to the present orphanage at Thomasville. It is surrounded by a splendid estate of 1,200 acres. Capt. and Mrs. W. L. Kennedy who gave the ground, will continue to reside on the plantation, having reserved about 40 acres for their own use. The boys' dormitory is being built by a fund raised by popular subscriptions locally, while that for the girls is the gift of Noah Biggs, a philanthropist of Scotland Neck.

PORT PARAGRAPHS.

Revenue Cutter Arrives—Lightship Departs—Schooner Arrives.

The government revenue cutter Seminole returned yesterday from an extended cruise off the coast of North Carolina.

The Brunswick lightship, of Brunswick, Ga., which has been undergoing repairs on the Wilmington Marine Railway for some time, left yesterday for her home port, having been completely overhauled.

The schooner Philip M. Brook arrived here yesterday from Jersey City with a cargo of salt, which will be discharged at the S. A. L. terminals. Mafflitt & Wood are agents for the vessel.

The tug Argonauta, belonging to the Wilmington Towing Company, reached Wilmington yesterday from Havana, Cuba, making the trip in exactly one week. She was under command of Capt. W. A. Sanders, one of the officials of the company, who reports a fine trip. She has been engaged in work in Havana for the last two years, and left on account of the new president of Cuba terminating all American contracts. The tug Blanche, also owned by the Wilmington Towing Company, will return in a week or so.

DOING FINE BUSINESS.

Real Estate Market is Getting Better All Time, Say Agents.

Watson & Applewhite, two energetic and experienced yonng real estate men who entered the field as co-partners only a few weeks ago, have already established a large business, notwithstanding the fact that the real estate market has been rather inactive for the past few months. "But the real estate business is picking up now," said a member of the firm yesterday, "and is getting better all the time. Our sales for the past week amounted to $12,000, this representing the transfer of seven different pieces of property. We have other deals in prospects, some large ones, too ,that indicate to us that the real estate market in Wilmington will soon be as active as it was some months ago when 'everybody was doing it."

DEATH FROM EXCITEMENT.

Man Attempting to Save Drowning Woman Succumbs to Heart Failure.

Fernandian, Fla., August 23.—Sherman C. Hillyer, well known lawyer of Washington, D. C., died here today from heart failure cause by excitement. Mr. Hillyer, who was at Amelia Beach, saw a young woman in danger of drowning an din attempting to aid her became excited and fell to the ground unconscious. He died soon afterward. The young woman was saved. Mr. Hillyer was visiting his brother, F. C. Hillyer of this place.

SAD SERVICES TODAY.

Funeral of Mrs. George Honnet From Residence This Morning.

The funeral of Mrs. George Honnet, widow of Mr. George Honnet, will be held from the family home, No. 322 South Front street at 11:30 o'clock this morning, conducted by Rev. .Dr. S. Mendelsohn, Rabbi of the Temple of Israel. Mrs. Honnet passed away Friday morning, after an illness of several months.

Big Real Estate Deal.

One of the largest land deals in the county in point of acreage for several years past was closed yesterday when Messrs. D. L. Gore, W. K.Allen, A. W. Pate and J. J. Loughlin purchased the old Sanders or Harriss place, midway between Wilmington and Carolina Beach. The price paid was not stated, though it is believed to be between $12,000 and $15,000. The purchasers state that they have no specific development in view just now, but may in a short while make use of it in an agricultural way.

Mr. Holbrock Didn't Appear.

Mr. E. A. Holbrook, of Atlanta, Ga., who was arrested last Sunday on a warrant charging him with carrying concealed weapons, didn't appear yesterday at noon when his case was called for trial before Justice Harriss. The cash bond of $50 which he put up was declared forfeited, and a capias issued. The case was postponed until yesterday in order that he might go on a fishing trip. He was expected to return yesterday, but evidently failed to do so.

Purchase Hotel Supplies.

Messrs. E. C. Register and J. A. Rowe, who will manage the new Wilmington hotel in the old Y. M. C. A. building, which is being remodeled for hotel purposes, leave this morning for Washington and New York, where they will purchase supplies for the new hostelry. The building is being rapidly placed in shape for occupancy and will be run on both the American and European plan, it is understood.

Sent to the Recorder.

Probable cause was found yesterday by Justice Harriss in the cases of Alex. Leonard, charged with larceny, and Sam Bellamy, colored, charged with assault, and they were sent over to the Recorder to be tried Monday. Hattie Moore, colored, who is charged with assaulting her husband with an axe, failed to appear, and her bond of $25 was declared forfeited. A capias was issued which was served, and she was placed in jail. She will have a hearing before the Recorder Monday.

The only Wilson who really had a Mexican policy has been given notice that he is persona non grata at the White House.—Philadelphia Press.

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(advertisement.)

GOOD SPORT AT SOUTHPORT.

Large Company of Fox Hunters on the Trail of Sir Reynard.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Southport, N. C., Aug. 23.—As the showman would say, "the greatest fox hunt ever seen is now going on" in this vicinity. And it is due to that good sportsman, Mr. Charles Cotton, of this city, who may not be master of the hounds, but who is the successful promoter who has brought here for a two weeks fox hunt, nearly a score of sportsmen with twice as many hounds, many of them registered.

In the party are Messrs. L. H. Bradshaw, J. E. Harrell, of Rose Hill; S. D. Bradshaw, Petersburg, Va.; I. F. Yelverton, Fremont; M. R. Person, Wilson; John F. Snuggs, Albemarle; Dr. D. F. Shepard, Charlotte; J. C. Benton, Unionville; U. N. Funderberg, Dudley, S. C.; S. H. Hudson, Marshville; R. L. Staton, Wadesboro; Boss Stockton, Winston-Salem; Haydon Shepard, Geo. McClellan, Monroe; P. Alsbrook, Columbia, S. C., and C. M. Shannon, Atlanta, Ga.

Most of the gentlemen are enjoying their outing in real sporting style, camping out in tents, with their hounds close by. Their camp is set on Lord street, near the river shore, and is a center of attraction locally. The visitors are never too busy to answer questions, and they are many during the day, so that the camp is a pleasant place to call.

The first morning, Thursday, gave no results, the field being new to the dogs and men, but Friday a better early start was made, and by 9 A. M. the return home was made, the spoils of the hunt being three foxes, one being brought back alive, a young fox, that had been treed.

The visiting sportsmen, besides their courtesies of the camp, have been most gracious in extending invitations, asking those whom they have met to join in the hunt. A number have accepted and driven out and watched the run. Everything points to a most successful hunt during the time the visitors are here.

Dr Stiles Off on Trip.

Dr. Chas. W. Stiles the hookworm expert, who is in charge of the United States Marine Hospital here, leaves this afternoon to be gone a month. At the request of and in company with Congressman Small he will visit a number of points in this State making addresses on public health work. He will spend two weeks in this State and will then go into Alabama at the request of and in company with Congressman Hobson, of that State, on a similar mission.

Sabbath School Institute.

A largely attended Sabbath School Institute was held yesterday at White Plains church in Bladen county under the direction o fthe Sunday School Missionary Society of the Wilmington Presbytery. Rev. J. S. Crowley and Rev. W. M. Shaw attended from Wilmington and took part in all the discussions. They returned to the city on the late train last night. At noon a dinner wa sserved in picnic style and was greatly enjoyed by all.

Will Receive Bids.

There will be a special meeting of the Board of County Commissioners at 3:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon for the purpose of receiving bids for the $125 000 worth of road and school bnds which have been offered by the county. The board has offered 5 per cent interest and it is expected that there will be several bidders.

Ash Heap for Grandma.

A certain little fellow loves his grandmother dearly. The other day, hearing her talk, perhaps a bit mournfully, of growing old, the child was much troubled. "Grandma," he asked, his baby arms about the beloved neck, "when you do get old will mamma throw you out on the ash heap, like she does all our old things?"

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Fares from intermediate points as follows:

Acme	$0.50
Bolton	.35
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Freeman	.50
Leland	.75
Malmo	.75
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Arrivals and Departures of Trains at Wilmington. Effective July 13, 1913. Time Not Guaranteed.

DEPARTURES	TO AND FROM	ARRIVALS:
No. 90, ! 3:40 A. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points. Connects at Goldsboro with Southern Railway and Norfolk Southern Railroad. No. 91 leaves Norfolk 13:20 P. M. and Richmond 14:10 P. M.	No. 91, a 1:15 A. M.
No. 51, * 5:35 A. M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa, Ft. Myers, Columbia and Asheville. **Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia, open to receive passengers at Wilmington at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied until 7:00 A. M.**	No. 50, *12:20 A. M.
No. 64, ! 5:30 A. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.	No. 65, ! 6:25 P. M.
No. 48, * 8:30 A. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington. **Pullman Parlor Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York trains with Pullman Service.**	No. 49, * 6:15 P. M.
No. 53, * 8:45 A. M.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford. Pullman Parlor Cars between Wilmington and Goldsboro.	No. 52, * 8:05 P. M.
No. 55, * 3:15 P. M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, **All Florida Points,** Columbia, Asheville and the West. **Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia.**	No. 54, * 1:40 P. M.
No. 62, * 3:25 P. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.	No. 63, !12:50 P. M.
No. 59, * 6:30 P. M.	Fayetteville, Sanford and Intermediate stations.	No. 60, *10:15 A. M.
No. 42, * 6:45 P.M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. **Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains, with Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.**	No. 41, *10:00 A. M.
No. 57, * 7:30 P. M.	Chadbourn, Conway and Intermediate stations.	No. 58, * 8:15 A.M.
No. 68, b 7:30 P. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate points.	No. 69, b10:15 A. M.

* Daily. ! Daily except Sunday. b Sunday only. a Daily except Monday.

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Schedule Effective April 27th, 1913.

TRAINS LEAVE WILMINGTON:

No. 19—5 A. M., arrive Hamlet, 9:00 A. M. Leave Hamlet, 9:20 A. M.; arrive Charlotte, 12:10 P. M. Connects at Hamlet with trains Nos. 4 for Raleigh, Norfolk, Richmond and All Points North, and with No 1 for Columbia, Savannah, Jacksonville Tampa and all points South. At Monroe with train No. 29, for Atlanta.

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No. 13—3:05 P. M.; arrive Hamlet, 7:35 P. M.; leave Hamlet, 8:00 P. M.; arrive Charlotte, 11:00 P. M. Connects at Hamlet with through trains for Atlanta, Birmingham, Columbia, Savannah, Jacksonville Tampa. Also Norfolk, Richmond and All Points North. Pullman chair car between Wilmington and Charlotte.

TRAINS ARRIVE WILMINGTON.

No. 14—12:30 P. M., from Charlotte and intermediate points.

No. 20—12:10 A. M., from Charlotte and intermediate points.

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Lv. Petersburg	11:00 a.m.	10:40 p.m
Lv. Durham	7:00 a.m.	5:30 p.m
Lv. Lynchburg	2:40 p.m.	2:30 a.m
Ar. Cincinnati	7:20 a.m.	6:25 p.m
Ar. Columbus	6:45 a.m.	6:55 p.m
Ar. Chicago	5:00 p.m.	7:30 a.m
Ar. St. Louis	6:32 p.m.	8:30 a.m

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WEEK DAYS.

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6:30 A.M.	6:05 A.M.
and every half hour thereafter until	7:10 A.M.
10:00 P.M.	7:45 A.M.
11:00 P.M.	and every half hour thereafter until
12:00 P.M.	11:45 P.M.
6:15 P.M.	

Express Trains stop only at Wrightsville and at Stations on the Beach.

FREIGHT.

Leave Wilmington:	Leave Beach:
6:00 A.M.	7:15 A.M.
9:30 A.M.	12:15 P.M.
3:00 P.M.	5:15 P.M.
7:00 P.M.	8:15 P.M.

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SUNDAYS.

Leave Wilmington:	Leave Beach:
7:00 A.M.	7:15 A.M.
8:30 A.M.	7:45 A.M.
and every half hour thereafter until	9:15 A.M.
10:00 P.M.	and every half hour thereafter until
11:00 P.M.	11:45 P.M.
12:00 P.M.	

Express Trains stop only at Wrightsville and at Stations on the Beach.

FREIGHT.

11:00 A.M.	12:15 P.M.

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Leaves Wilmington for Carolina Beach Pier at 2:45 P. M., and leaves Pier, on return, at 6:00 P. M.

SUNDAY SCHEDULE:

Leaves Wilmington for Carolina Beach Pier at 9:00 A. M., 2:30 and 7:30 P. M.

Leaves Southport for Wilmington, at 11:30 A. M. and 4:45 P. M. Leaves Carolina Beach Pier, at 12:45, 6:00 and 8:30 P. M.

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ALL DRAFTS, checks, express money orders and postal money orders for the paper should be made payable, and all communications should be addressed to,

THE WILMINGTON STAR CO.,
Wilmington, N. C.

Sunday, August 24, 1913.

Harry Thaw must be used to getting remanded to jail."

"Will we know each other there?" Do we know each other here?

Men think they put woman on a pedestal, but woman put herself there in spite of men.

The game at Washington continues, the main feature being the continuous wild throws of the Republicans.

"Atlanta, Ga., Aug. 23.—The trial of Leon Frank is about to come to an end." Good!

People who raise cain need not expect to share in the forthcoming funds from Uncle Sam, to move the crops.

The Democratic Administration at Washington will have to take the blame for the failure of the Chautauqua circuit.

If we should have a war with Mexico, watch patriots like Senator Penrose remain at home and read about it in an easy chair.

Says Webster's Weekly: "State prohibition is a success in North Carolina as much so as any other law on the statute books." Well, we acknowledge the corn.

If we should take a notion to recognize Huerta, how do we know we could recognize him a second time after the insurrectos meet him face to face?

Harper's Weekly contains an article on "What Women are After." They are after coming down from the pedestal so they can get what is coming to them.

It is said a hundred hired assassins are aften Dr. Sun Yat Sen. Since all Chinamen look alike, we can't see how they could recognize the Doctor in a crowd.

Some men give you a good imitation of Chesterfield away from home, and after returning there resume the role of a martinet if nobody "sets down on them," as they say up in Virginia.

After roughing it for a week, with very little to eat and any old place to sleep, a man comes back and brags about the good time he and the other fellows had. Doing what?

Judge Emory Speer, of Georgia, seems to have had so many men against him during all these years on the bench, we suspect that he may have been the Speer that knows no brother.

The Durham Herald refers to Governor Craig as "Our Governor." No man ever came nearer being all the people's Governor than has the man who is so conscientiously endeavoring to adminiscter the affairs of the State

The Federal immigration officers at Philadelphia held up a girl for having on too much of an x-ray dress. In the observant and critical eyes of the law, she didn't have on enough clothing to entitle her to appear on Chestnut street.

Says the Norfolk Virginia Pilot: "British interests in Venzuela are said to be shipping some 93,000 beef cattle to the United States to get them out of Castro's reach." Those who have slaughter houses and packing houses will be concerned in this additional supply of raw material. At the same time we are glad to see the cattle supply increased in any way.

The Progressives are leaning kindly to National Chairman Hillies' invitation to them to fuse with the Republicans. They are not likely to refuse to fuse, which means that the Republican party is about to absorb the Bull Moosers before the next Presidential election.

Seeing an editorial paragraph in the Loris (S. C.) News to the effect that "Almost anybody can make a living in Loris", we started to go at once but right next the News said, "In addition to other troubles is the Loris flea," and next, "There are several kinds of fleas but the Loris flea beats them all." We will not go to Loris. If we were in Loris we would flee.

ADVERTISING OUR RESOURCES.

Now and then Southern newspapers criticise the government, the States and the railroads for not bringing homeseekers to the South. This shows that our ideas about the immigration and settlement questions are academic In order to get settlers from other States, or from Canada, or from Europe, they must first know something of the South's resources, speaking agriculturally in this instance, and the thing for us to do is to make these resources known. The next thing to do is to settle such people as have been attracted by either the oportunities here or the propositions we have to make.

The railroads of the South have to be eliminated from criticism on this score, for barring a few progressive communities and sections, the railroad people are the only ones which are attractively advertising our resources. They are offering no opportunities. They are simply holding out inducements to people abroad to come South—anywhere South on their lines. It is up to us to offer opportunities to homeseekers, and now that the railroads are advertising our resources they make it easier for us to advertise whatever opportunities we have for homeseekers. Can't we understand that we have to do that?

The Atlantic Coast Line with several hundred miles of road in North Carolina, now has a specially equipped exhibit car North, giving a fine object lesson of the resources of its South Atlantic territory, including this finest portion of North Carolina. The car contains an attractive exhibit of products, proclaiming the great agricultural versatility of this portion of America. Printed matter, attractively illustrated, has been caried along for distribution. At the various points visited by the car, money is spent with the newspapers to attract attention to the car and make known the agricultural adaptability of the Nation's Garden Spot.

That car left Wilmington August 18th, and its exhibit consisted of cotton, tobacco, peanuts, corn, forage grasses and legumes, sugar cane, three large cases of grains in straw, twenty bales of different varieties of hay grown in the South, a model bale of cotton, cotton on the stalk, different varieties of sweet potatoes, corn on the stalk, showing prolific varieties with from four to six ears to the stalk; cane syrup, grape fruit, cocoanuts, pineapples, watermelons and numerous other products. A particularly fine feature of the exhibit is 63 glass jars of fruits and vegetables, 17 glass jars of grains, peanuts, peas, rice, etc., and 15 glass jars of different varieties of pecans. These products will be seen by thousands of people, who are bound to be impressed if not induced by them to come South.

The first stop of this Nation's Garden Spot car was at the Canadian National Exposition, which opened at Toronto yesterday and will continue till September 8th. The exhibit will remain until the exposition closes, and it is an annual attraction that is visited by thousands of people from all over Canada and our Northern States. From Toronto, the car will double back and the exhibit will be displayed at various fairs in New York and the New England States, until November 1st.

We mention this so our people can appreciate the efforts of the Coast Line to attract the most desirable class of homeseekers. The railroad officials consumed a great deal of time in obtaining the very best products grown in the South and neither expense nor pains were spared in putting up this exhibit in the most attractive manner. One fact of which Southern farmers should be proud is that this exceptionally fine exhibit was secured from regular farms and not a single prodduct from an experimental farm.

In addition to its "Nation's Garden Spot" booklet, the Atlantic Coast Line prepared a very handsome booklet containing 25 beautiful agricultural and horticultural views along its lines, especially for distribution on this trip. In order to make the effort more effective, two experienced men are accompanying the car to explain the exhibit, state the conditions in the South, and to give information to visitors.

We are sure this kind of practical advertising should certainly attract settlers to this unexcelled country. It certainly will do so, if homeseekers can be attracted. Now comes the question, What are we going to do to get North Carolina's share of people who may begin to inquire for opportunities in the South? We must offer the opportunities if we expect to get settlers. Shall we or will we do so?

DR. NESBITT'S RESIGNATION.

The people of the city will be interested in the news story carried in this morning's Star announcing the resignation of Dr. Chas. T. Nesbitt as superintendent of health effective if, after experts have gone over the situation, it is found that he has been remiss or inefficient in the administration of his duties. This move ought to bring to a head the controversy that has been going on over the health department, of which everybody is heartily tired, and the gentlemen mostly concerned, on both sides, doubtless most of all. If it is found that the heath department hasn't been doing its duty, the decision being that of unbiased, impartial and competent judges, then Dr. Nesbitt will resign and he ought to. On the other hand if the decision is favorable to him and his department, then there ought to be a cessation of the friction that must ultimately work serious injury to a very vital department of the municipal and county government. We without knowing, have our doubts, however, about either the State of Federal health officers agreeing to take a hand in a controversy that is as bitter as it is deplorable.

We are of the opinion that there is something in the contentions of all parties to the row; we know that there is a great deal of prejudice that ought not to be, and a woeful lack of harmony in government that is costing the people a large sum of money. It is most unfortunate; but whatever else is done, we trust that the principle of consolidation will be maintained and that the health department will remain as it is, whether it be officered by the incumbents or by new men. We are fully convinced that one health department is the proper way to conduct affairs in New Hanover.

HOME SECURITIES FOR INVESTORS.

North Carolinians here of late oversubscribed a State bond issue, and now that New Hanover is offering an issue of $125,000 five per cent bonds to run for twenty-five years, an opportunity is offered to home investors to purchase these gilt edge securities. Bids will be opened tomorrow at the Court House and we understand that the bonds will be sold in quantities to suit. Altogether it is an attractive proposition for those who have idle money or funds that are drawing less than 5 per cent interest. New Hanover's bond issue ought to be subscribed right at home, for few securities drew as much as 5 per cent interest, payable semi-annually as will these school and road bonds of this progressive county. It is a good chance for those who want to salt their money down in solid securities which have the advantage of being negotiable should it be desired to borrow money on them at any time.

CURRENT COMMENT.

Is it a confession by avoidance or a muddying of the waters that our friend the Wilmington Star is engaged in? Here is how it disposes of the expressed belief of the Charlotte News, called to its attention by The News and Observer, that it used an old stock cut of Senator Simmons as that of Hon. John D. Bellamy the other day: "G'wan. The News ought to know that all the old stock cuts of all the politicians since the war, perished in The News and Observer fire except one it had loaned out of General Jule Carr—the one with the speckled vest and white carnation in the lapel. All others are extinct."—Crool! Crool! Wilmington Star!—News & Observer.

COUNCIL AND HEALTH BOARD.

Card From Councilman Jones, Merritt and Wood on the Situation.

To the Editor of the Star:

We notice that there has been some criticism in the daily papers, editorially, officially and otherwise, of our action in passing a resolution at the last session of the City Council, calling upon our representatives in the Legislature to abolish the present health board.

The point has been made that we were without authority in passing this resolution, owing to the alleged fact that the matter contained in the resolution was not in issue in the municipal campaign just prior to our election as Councilmen last May. While we do not expect that our position in regard to the health board will be all-controlling with our representatives in the Legislature, we are well aware that we are the proper representatives of the people of Wilmiigton in municipal matters and that it is our duty to act upon any crisis that may arise during our administration, whether the crisis is base upon issues that existed prior to our election or not.

It is an undeniable fact that at least eighty per cent of the people of Wilmington are opposed to the manner in which the health department has been managed during the last two years, and our personal contact with a large number of citizens leads us to the conclusion that the health department, as well as the personnel of its officers, was an issue in the campaign last Spring, and it is an undeniable fact that no candidate for Mayor or Councilman could have been elected if such candidate had openly espoused the past two years administration of the health department of the city.

We have been influenced in our position largely by the fact that practically every prominent physician in Wilmington opposes the management of the health department during the past two years, and the further fact that health conditions are not in anything like the shape that they should be in, taking into consideration the large expenditure of money which the city has been called upon to provide for the upkeep of the health department. That the budget prepared by the health board is "top heavy" and excessive, as to salaries, when compared with the items for upkeep and maintenance, is a fact so patent that we are willing to leave this issue of the controversy with the intelligent citizenship of this community. We have not applied to the chairman of the County Commissioners for facts concerning the management of the health board and we attach no special significance to his views about these matters nor is it possible for him to entertain less respect for our individual intelligence than we entertain for his mental capacities. In conclusion, it is our purpose to represent the will of a majority of our people, and to protect the city's finances as best we can, and we are proud of the fact that a large number of the best and ablest people of this community have commended our action in regard to the health board, and further, we note that none of the newspaper attacks made upon our position comes from any one who can lay clai mto special ability to pass upon the issues involved.

W. F. JONES,
B. A. MERRITT,
T. W. WOOD,
Councilmen.

Wilmington, N. C., Aug. 23. 1913.

CUSTOM HOUSE APPOINTMENT.

Should Mr. Keith be Removed Before His Term Expires?

To the Editor of The Star:

There is one principle which justifies the removal of Collector Keith before his term expires, and that is sufficient: the party in power is going to be held responsible for the administration of the Government, and the Government should be administered by its own appointees.

A Baptist church could not be successfully run with a Presbyterian minister in the pulpit; though he might be just as good, he would certainly steer the craft away from deep water. It is not entirely certain that Mr. Keith can administer a Democratic enterprise without preaching Republican doctrinal sermons, and he ought not to expect the Democrats to keep him in office.

The policy of the respective political parties in the past, with reference to the custom house in Wilmington, has been to remove the collector upon a change of administration.

Mr. Cleveland, during his first administration, removed Mr. Pennypacker, without any charges being preferred against him, and Mr. Chas. H. Robinson, of this city, was appointed.

Mr. Harrison in turn removed Mr. Robinson before his term expired, without any charges being preferred against him, and John C. Dancy was appointed.

Mr. Cleveland, during his second term, removed John C. Dancy, before his term of office expired, without any charges being preferred against him, and appointed Capt. W. R. Kenan, who served out his time.

Mr. Keith was a Bryan elector in 1900—I know this because I will never forget voting for him, I did not see how I could vote for him and remain a Democrat, or how I could remain a Democrat and not support the Democratic ticket.

After Mr. Bryan was defeated Mr. Keith sought the appointment as collector of customs from the Republican President. He was appointed collector of customs on February 13th, 1902, by Mr. Roosevelt, and on February 13th, 1914, will have served 12 years by the grace of the Republican party, and could hardly be expected to be in sympathy with the Democratic administration of the government.

By reason of a Republican row between Mr. Duncan and Mr. Morehead, he held over for a year or more and the four years from his last appointment will not expire until 1915, and he ought to be removed and the place filled without waiting for the expiration of this time, because the office has always been considered purely a political one by both political parties and the collector removed at will.

Further, he is not in a position to ask favors of the Democratic party. In an interview in the Washington Post in 1908, referring to the nomination of Governor Kitchin at Charlotte, whose fight for the nomination was admittedly a great one, Mr. Keith went out of his way to state that Mr. Kitchin had to fight a "notoriously bad element in the Democratic party." which element, of course, was led by Senator Simmons, Governor Craig, Governor Aycock, and others of lesser note, whose thousands of friends in the Eastern District of North Carolina do not relish the idea that they have been branded as a "notoriously bad element in the Democratic party" by a man who is now seeking favors at their hands. He ought not to ask these favors at all, and if he does ask them they ought not to be granted; and even his personal friendship for Secretary Bryan should not avail him anything in this fight.

Why should any Democrat desire the continuance of Collector Keith in office under a Democratic administration?

J. O. CARR.

MR. WILLARD TO FATHER DENNEN.

To the Editor of The Star:

Father Dennen's card in this morning's paper calls for a few more words. It rather hurt me that one in Father Dennen's position should think I had done anything to lower the dignity or the august position of chairman of the Board of County Commissioners.

But really a fellow can't be on his p's and q's all the time. The communication Father Dennen objects to was not signed as Chairman of anything and I honestly believe one should have the right to unlimber himself occasionally.

But I think Father Dennen has failed to catch the purpose of the communication. When a sportsman goes gunning he takes the kind of ammunition suited to the game he is hunting. I wouldn't take the same ammunition to kill squirrels as I would if I hoped to bag a rhinoceros. Mr. Alexander Pope's advice is proper to be followed under ordinary circumstances, but in this case would have had the same result as the use of a bean-shooter. The rhinoceros being stupid and having a thick hide needs an explosive bullet.

As to Father Dennen's statement that over 90 per cent of the physicians of the community are opposed to the methods of the superintendent of health—he is simply mistaken. Over 90 per cent of the physicians of Wilmington never agreed on anything. I have the dearest respect for the physicians of Wilmington and some of them are among my dearest friends, but the records of the Medical Society would be accepted as prima facie evidence that Father Dennen is wrong. I will undertake to say that if a poll of the physicians of Wilmington could be had, two-thirds of them would be heartily in favor of stopping this uncalled for opposition to the health work and permitting it to proceed until an opportunity arose when they could in an orderly manner put their views in effect by changing the personnel of the health board. If it was proper to do so in this communication I could state instances of opposition to the health work now going on in this county which would seem incredible.

At any rate, the board of health by its action tonight will probably set on foot an effort which if carried out ought to clarify the situation and give all unprejudiced persons information upon which they can form right conclusions. Let's wait and see what will be the outcome of the proposed examination.

M. S. WILLARD,
Wilmington, N. C., Aug. 23, 1913.

Washington, Aug. 23.—Lieut. Com. Needham Lee Jones was named today personal aide to Secretary Daniels to succeed Lieut. Com. Leigh C. Palmer, ordered to command the new destroyer Aylwin at Philadelphia.

New York, Aug. 23.—Edward E. McCall, chairman of the public service commission, tonight was designated as mayoralty candidate by the Democratic city committee.

Almond production in California, this year, according to the California Almond Growers' Exchange, will be about 1 750 tons, or something over half a normal crop.

The first five months of 1913 saw all previous records in Texas broken for the amount of bonds voted in the various counties and road precincts for good roads.

A new fuel for internal combustion that is said to act in all respects like gasoline but to be much cheaper, is being made in England from gasoline, kerosene and benzol.

The total mileage of State railways in Italy June 30, 1912, was 8,286. Although 14.5 miles were added uring the year, the same number of miles of road was abolished.

Still another investigation or two promised at Washington. But finally the voters will have a chance to investigate the investigators.—Pitsburg Dispatch.

For the benefit of the curious, we may state that Vice President Marshall is still in office—both ways, if you like.—Detroit Free Press.

Some Sterling Values
Offered for This Week

We find some complaints from our good people, who think we haven't given them sufficient information about our goods on sale.

Figures in print are so easily made that we endeavor to avoid anything that is misleading.

We want everybody to come and we Guarantee Satisfaction.

We only mention a few items

Balkan Middy Blouses—The models are correct in style, workmanship and material. Regular $1.25 values; this week 98c

The Regular Middy Blouse; only 48c

The new Crepe Underwear, in big variety; $1.25 Gowns, only 98c

Muslin Underwear; a splendid assortment, and the Price Reduced.

Just a few Short Sleeve Long Kimonas, made of fine Lawn; neat figures; full size; only 29c

House Dresses, made from fine Percale and Zephyr Gingham; big assortment; all sizes. Regular $1.25 Dress, now 98c

Just a few more of those Small Size Slippers. Regular $2.00, $2.50 and $3.00 Slippers; this week, while they last, black and tan, pumps and oxfords, only $1.00

Just received, shipment of Umbrellas; Special value, only $1.00

Black Silk Hose, at 25c, 50c, 98c, and $1.50.

J. H. Rehder & Co.
THE POPULAR DEPARTMENT STORE
The FIRM THAT PAYS YOUR CARFARE

New Ratines, Some Fall Shades at 25c. White, at 50c.

Woman and Her Raiment

HONI SOIT QUI MAL Y PENSE.

To the Editor of The Star:

Why all this hullaballo about the present styles in women's dress? Since when have men become arbiters of female apparel? Oh, ye hypocrios!

One outraged critic exclaims that "a woman who wears a slashed skirt shows a wicked heart and an empty brain." What x-ray eyes! The average man can see but a well turned ankle and a bit of lingerie.

Review the costumes of civilized history and observe how thoroughly women have carried out their own ideas as to dress, and how readily their male supporters have furnished the wherewithal to buy finery that may not have entirely met their approbation.

The women of ancient Greece and Rome draped their curves to suit themselves and for the delectation of the men. The courts of Europe furnished styles of womens' apparel that would receive Anthony Somstock's condemnation today.

The old hoop skirt, when a gust of wind relentlessly displayed the lace bordered pantelettes—which touched the shoe-tops—had its critics. The "Grecian bend" had its day, and was the theme of newspaper writers and critics. In fact, whatever the style in women's dress there are men to criticize.

It is not what a woman wears, it is how she wears it. One dressed in the garb o fa Quakeress, or of a Salvation Army lass, can show the brazen effrontery of a Carmen, while another can wear whatever she pleases with the modesty of a Vestal Virgin.

When our mother Eve elected to wear the traditional fig leaf costume—she might have chosen the leaf of the palladin of more generous proportions—was her modestly every questioned, or is there any recorded protest from father Adam or his wise board of councilmen?

A man can take station with a strong electric light opposite and almost see through a passing water wagon. It would seem that those whose sense of propriety is most shocked by what they rubber for are among those who attend the circus only to let the children see the animals.

There was a time in this Southland when a man may have seen and admired a woman's well turned ankle, but it was worth his hide to comment upon it.

Honi soit qui mal y pense.

GEORGE P. COTCHETT.
Wilmington, N. C., Aug. 24 1913.

REPLYING TO CRITICISM.

To the Editor of The Star:

"Citizen" claims his first shot hit the mark. I do not know what mark he means, but I do know he was trying to hand himself a nice boquet, by throwing a big bluff, and was called.

Now he comes back and states that a lady "told him" there was immoral dancing, going on. Oh, you wise old boy. I bet you were right there looking it over, if not taking part.

He then mentions about supplying skirts and having a dummy in his room, only his makeup forbids it. Why he does not have to go and buy a dummy. I think Nature saved him the trouble.

He also takes a shot at me by referring to Jersey City. The men of Jersey have more to do than stand round on the street corners noticing whether the ladies are properly clad or not (get wise old chap, New York is juct across the river), and again there is a city ordinance which prohibits congregating on street corners, and believe me, this law is strictly enforced. "So a lady told me."

Talking about low vaudeville, and leg show it is just such old broken down sports that he evidently is that keeps them going, so sanctimonious before the public at home, and as soon as they reach a big Northern city think nothing of "anteing" up a dothing nothing of "anteing" up a dollar for a bald head row seat at some burlesque show, and then takes the performers out to a wine supper after the show.

Then in conclusion, he implores God's help to wake up the people. I suppose he did not need any help when he was "warming up the street corner" of Front and Princess, looking over the white ladies attire, and even the dusky maidens did not get by without our friend taking a slant. Up in Jersey they draw the color line. "so a lady told me."

NEW JERSEYITE.
Wilmington, N. C., Aug. 22. 1913.

MORE "MODERN FASHIONS."

To the Editor of The Star:

I am a reader of The Morning Star and a subscriber also; lived in the city of Wilmington for eight years; raised in the city of Raleigh; always dressed with the fashion of the times and do now and I have been reading the articles published recently in the papers about woman's dress. The comment on both sides are both right and just. The costumes now worn both on the street and at home, at dances or anywhere are ridiculous, and I, a woman of 40 and the mother of two little daughters, say I am glad they are still small enough to dress in pleated skirts and two petticoats apiece and I truthfully hope when they are grown there will be more cloth in the skirts and more money to purchase the cloth with and groceries not so high that the dresses and articles of dress be so skimpy that the dresses have to be stunted to buy provisions for the men to stand idle on the street corners and smoke cigars and cold drinks and criticising the dress of both white and black and deciding in favor of negro when he ought to have been at work for the cash to buy ten yards of cloth instead of five, while his wife, mother, daughter or sister had to be at home preparing his meals and planning to cut and make a long-needed garment out of a short length of cloth.

PLAIN COUNTRY WOMAN.
Abbottsburg, N. C., Aug. 23rd.

Using special breathing apparatus supplying oxygen, there Frenchmen recently ascended nearly 3,000 feet in a balloon without suffering any ill effects.

A French inventor of phonograph records on a prepared cloth, which may be mailed like a letter, threatens to seriously rival stenographers.

Blocks of wood can be hardened and waterproofed for a number of purposes by boiling for a few moments in olive oil.

We see "attractive bathing suits for women" advertised every few days, but we never see any.—Chicago Record-Herald.

An extensive deposit of fuller's earth has been discovered in the Canal Zone on lanc owned by the United States.

Divorces annually average 73 to each 100,000 of population in the United States. In Austria the average is one.

Japan is capturing the Australian orange market from California competitors.

The merchant marine of Japan was increased last year by 1,586 sailing vessels and 244 steamers.

Bellamy Grocery & Produce Co.

BEST GOODS AND PRICES CONSISTENT.

Another lot N. C. Hams just received. Call before they are gone. We have Shad Roe (whole) in cans. Beech Nut Jellies, Jams, Etc. Fresh Supply of Legget's and Austin-Nichols' Fancy Groceries, Teas and Coffees. Meadow Gold Butter, in blocks and tubs. Tuna Fish, in cans—something new, from the Pacific Ocean; equals, if not surpasses, Chicken for Salad.

Visit our store, next to "Star" Office, where polite clerks will wait on you; or call 'phone 835.

Our Motto: Best Goods; Best Prices; Best Attention, and Best Delivery.

SOMEBODY SAID:
"It's the Hit Dog That Howls"

This company is not howling. It is simply moving along attending to its own business making the best ice ever made in North Carolina and selling same at a reasonable profit to a lot of satisfied customers. Are you one of them? If not, please stop the green wagon or phone us; and, by the way, Plate Ice lasts much longer than other ice.

"ASK THOSE WHO USE IT."

PLATE ICE COMPANY

Green Wagons. Phones 695-696.

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE

Home Savings Bank

WILMINGTON, N. C., AS AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS AUGUST 9th, 1913.

RESOURCES:		LIABILITIES:	
Loans and Discounts	$164,589.97	Capital	$ 50,000.00
Furniture and Fixtures	1,806.54	Profits	3,679.56
Real Estate	12,060.00	Deposits	150,046.15
Cash and in Banks	24,702.46	Cashiers' Checks Outstanding	33.26
Total	$203,158.97	Total	$203,158.97

J. W. YATES, President. J. W. LITTLE, Vice-Pres. J. F. ROACHE, Cashier

PLAN LABOR DAY CELEBRATION

Trades Council Invites Governor Craig to Speak at the Beach—Mayor Moore to Make Address—Other Features.

Plans for the celebration of Labor Day, September 1st—the one day in the year set apart in honor of labor—were practically completed at a conference yesterday at noon that the committee from the Wilmington Trades Council had with officials of the Tidewater Power Company. The celebration will take place at Lumina, Wrightsville Beach, and will be in the nature of a picnic. There will be one or two addresses followed by athletic and aquatic events in the afternoon and an illuminated canoe parade at night. There will also be music and dancing; in the afternoon square dancing as well as round dancing will be permitted on the pavilion floor.

An invitation has been extended by the Trades Council committee to Governor Locke Craig to be present and deliver an address. The invitation was extended through Mr. Luther B. Jones, general chairman who is a personal friend of the Chief Executive. Governor Craig has not visited Wilmington since his inauguration and should he come down Labor Day he will be greeted by thousands of people eager to hear him.

Mayor Parker Quince Moore, of Wilmington, has accepted an invitation to make an address. He will likely speak on some topic of peculiar interest to the laboring man. This will be Mayor Moore's first opportunity to speak directly to his constituents since his election as Mayor and he will doubtless be heard by a tremendous crowd. He will begin speaking at 2:45 in the afternoon.

Two special "Labor Day" trains will be operated on the suburban line especially for the convenience of the great army of people who will want to go down at the same time. The first train will leave Front and Princess streets at 9 A. M., and the second at 2 P. M. Those leaving on the 2 P. M. car will arrive at Lumina in time to hear the address of Mayor Moore and to witness the athletic and aquatic events. Besides the special trains the entire suburban equipment will be put into service for the regular trips, so it is expected that the crowds will be handled with the greatest ease and dispatch.

The celebration this year will be on a more elaborate scale than ever before and it is expected that the crowd visiting Lumina during the day will be fully as large if not larger, than on the Fourth of July. The Wilmington Trades Council represent between 800 and 1,000 Union men of this city. Counting families and all it is a conservative estimate that the Trades Council represents directly 3,000 people. The major portion of these will no doubt visit the resort during the day. Besides there will be thousands of others to spend the day at the resort.

Mr. Luther B. Jones, the general chairman, has as his assistant Mr. W. L. Wood, and Mr. J. A. Gillerlain, chairman of the entertainment Committe is assisted by Messrs. J. R. Brown and Thos. Meldrum.

The programme for the athletic and aquatic events, which begin at 3 o'clock, is as follows:

Afternoon Programme.

100 yard dash—(under 110 lbs.)
100 yard dash (over 110 lbs.)
110 yard dash (open only to Union men.)
Running Broad Jump (open to all.)
Running Broad jump (open only to Union men.)
Sack Race (open to all).
Rope Climb (open to all).
Apple Eating Contest (open to all.)
Flag Race, girls under 12 years old.
Flag Race, girls over 12 years old.
Human Race (open to all.)
Human Race (open only to Union men.)
Canoe Race (Last race in this year's series.)
Swimming Race in the Ocean (open to all.)

In each of these events the first prize will be five round trip beach tickets; Second prize three tickets; third prize, one round trip ticket. An additional prize of three round trip tickets will be given to the one winning the greatest number of tickets in the entire contest. The canoe race is the final race of the series for the sason.

The following is the standing in the canoe series: Irvin Corbett and Geo. Clark, 17 points; William Lord and Robert Davis, 16; David Murchison and J. P. Watters, 12; William Parsley and Walker Taylor Jr., 10; R. Taylor and J. D. Corbett, 5; Ed Hines and Ted Brown, 3. Spalding sweaters will be given the two men having the greatest number of points at the end of the Labor Day events for the 1913 series.

Illuminated Canoe Parade.

A new feature of the Labor Day celebration will be an illuminated canoe parade, which will take place in the sound back of Lumina, beginning at 9 P. M. The canoes will be drawn by gasoline launches up and down the Banks Channel. Judges will decide which canoe is best decorated and illuminated. Prizes will be awarded as follows: First prize, five round trip beach tickets; second, four tickets; third, three tickets, fourth, two tickets; fifth, one ticket.

It is the desire to have every canoe on the beach in this parade and as a further inducement two round trip beach tickets will be awarded to each canoe that enters the parade.

The judges will be stationed on the second floor of the floating dock and the parade can be seen from the grandstands on the sound side of Lumina, also from the various gang ways.

One canoe will be entered by the Electrical Workers and one by the Carpenters. Several others have stated that they would enter.

THE RECORDER'S COURT.

Two Negro Boys Given Jail Sentences for Larceny—Other Cases.

Irvin Sampson and John Bryant, two colored boys, were before the Recorder yesterday, charged with stealing 25 cents from a young son of Tom Smith, a colored coal dealer. They were found guilty and sentenced to three months in jail with privilege to the County Commissioners to hire them out. Judgment was suspended upon payment of the costs in the case of Richmond Brown, colored, charged with assault. Bill Williams, colored, was fined $25 and the costs for assaulting another negro with a knife. John Williams, charged with non-support, was discharged.

Take a delightful trip down the Cape Fear tonight, 15c round trip. Str. Wilmington leaves 7:30 P. M.
(advertisement.)

Dantzic's most important industry is grain shipping.

TRAGIC DEATH OF YOUNG LADY

Miss Ethel Bostick, of Wallace, Instantly Killed Yesterday by Being Struck by Trolley Car Near Audubon.

Miss Ethel Bostick, a young lady of Wallace on a visit here, was instantly killed while walking along the track of the Tidewater Power Company near Audubon Station, by being struck by a trolley freight car, going in the direction of Wrightsville Beach, yesterday morning a few minutes before 10 o'clock. She had just left the home of her sister, Mrs. Edward Schulken, whom she was visiting, to go on an errand, and was walking east, in the same direction that the car was going. There were several eye witnesses of the tragic death, but none near enough to warn her of her danger.

The deplorable accident occurred about a quarter of a mile east of Audubon station, which is four miles east of Wilmington. Just west of the point where she was killed there is a curve in the track which makes it impossible to see far ahead. The freight train consisted of two cars, one box car and one flat car, and was being run by Mr. Lucien D. Bishop. The several witnesses of the horrible affair state that the motorman did not ring the bell, but that he did apply his brakes. The cars, however, were not stopped until the front wheels of the front car had passed over the body of Miss Bostick.

She was struck in the back of the head with such force that the skull was frightfully mangled, and the head almost torn from the body. Death must have been instantaneous. As soon as possible after the accident the body was removed on a special car to the funeral parlors of M. H. Brimmer & Co., where it was prepared for burial.

Miss Bostick evidently did not hear the cars coming, as she did not appear to be making any effort to get out of the way. Mr. Schulken stated yesterday that she was not deaf. Those who saw the cars coming state that the train was within a few feet of her before they knew that she was in danger and that she never looked back. She was a splendid type of young womanhood, and was very popular. She was a sister of Mrs. Edward Schulken, who lives at Audubon, and had been spending most of the Summer with her. She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bostick, of Wallace, and was 18 years old last October. Surviving her, besides her father and mother, are four sisters: Mrs. Schulken, of Audubon; Mrs. Alice Rogers, of Raleigh; Mrs. Cicero Jones and Mrs. James Pigford, of Wallace, and one brother, Mr. D. R. Bostick, of Elizabethtown.

Authorities Notified.

Mr. Bishop, the motorman, immediately after the accident sent one of the negroes on the car to a telephone to notify the headquarters of the Tidewater Power Company. The Tidewater officials at once notified Coroner John J. Fowler, and he together with Capt. W. F. Corbett, Mr. W. B. Savage, Mr. M. H. Brimmer and Deputy Sheriff A. L. Kelly left immediately on a special car. The body was placed in the car and brought back to the city by them and carried to the undertaking parlors of Mr. Brimmer.

Mr. Fowler had Mr. Bishop placed under arrest and he gave bond in the sum of $1,000 with Capt. W. F. Corbett as surety. Mr. Bishop was greatly grieved over the sad tragedy, and stated that he did all in his power when he saw the young lady on the track to stop the car. He seemed perfectly willing to tell all he knew about the matter, and was perfectly frank in his statements as to the particulars of the fatal accident.

The Inquest.

Coroner Fowler impanneled the following gentlemen to serve on the jury at the inquest which was held in the grand jury room at the Court House yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock: Messrs. W. M. Cumming foreman, B. F. King, Jr., secretary, E. P. H. Strunck, William Lane, L. W. Tindal and George Harriss. In the absence of Solicitor George L. Peschau, Louis J. Poisson assisted in the examination of witnesses.

After viewing the body the examination of witnesses was taken up. Mr. Edward Schulken identified the body of the young lady killed as being the sister of his wife, and stated that the last time he had seen her was early yesterday morning.

Eye Witnesses to Accident.

Mrs. R. L. Shaw, testified that she was sitting on the porch of her home about 200 feet from the place where Mrs. Bostick was struck yesterday morning about 10 o'clock. When she first saw the cars they had already begun to slow down. She saw Miss Bostick when she was struck, and stated that the front car passed over her body. After that she did not have any clear recollection of what happened. She did not hear any bell, she said, she couldn't state the speed of the cars. The train was made up of a flat car and a box car. The flat car was in front.

Mr. E. T. Price, who was working on a house nearby, at the time the accident happened was next examined. He stated that he was about 100 feet away and did not see the cars or the

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INTERESTING AND INSTRUCTIVE SALE.

Every citizen in Wilmington is interested in seeing Wilmington grow and develop. It's a pleasure for every good citizen to see the entire city built up and the waste places turned into valuable city lots—ready for the increase of people.

Knowing this to be an undisputed fact, the general public will appreciate the good work recently done by J. G. Wright & Son, on Eastern Hill, (15th and Orange) and note with interest that this firm will offer for sale this property at auction through the Atlantic Coast Realty Co., on Labor Day, Sept. 1st, 1913.

The auction idea of selling property is not as well known here as in larger cities and it will be a most novel, interesting and instructive sight.

The Atlantic Realty Co., travels 40 men. The sales force will reach Wilmington on its own private car and will bring all its own All-Star Band, and also the famous Buxton Brothers. These auctioneer brothers are famous all over the country and have few equals and no superiors in their line.

The Auction Company will also give away a number of free prizes—not mere toys, but furniture and other things of real value. Every one will have an opportunity to win these prizes.

Hundreds of ladies attend these sales and all are cordially invited. At 10:30, September 1st—Labor Day—the sale will begin and the lots go at the rate of one a minute to the highest bidder on the easy terms plan. Be on hand to hear the band—see and hear the auctioneers and get a free prize. (advertisement.)

DR. CHAS. T. NESBITT RESIGNS

But Delinquency or Inefficiency in Duties Must First be Established by Dr. Rankin and Government Expert.

Dr. Chas. T. Nesbitt, county superintendent of health, about whom centers the opposition to health work in New Hanover county, last night tendered to Mr. M. S. Willard, chairman of the County Board of Health, his resignation to be presented by the latter to the board for immediate action if it is found, by a method prescribed by Dr. Nesbitt, that he has been delinquent or inefficient in the discharge of his public duties.

The County Board of Health, in special session last night, received from Dr. Nesbitt a communication setting forth in detail the method of procedure, which was unanimously adopted. According to the plan suggested Dr. W. S. Rankin, secretary of the State Board of Health, and a representative of the United States Public Health Service from Washington, are to constitute the committee of investigation and their report shall determine whether or not Dr. Nesbitt is to continue as superintendent of health. This is Dr. Nesbitt's own plan and his sole purpose is to put an end to the seemingly endless controversy with regard to the health work in New Hanover, feeling that if no fault can be found by experts with his administration of the health affairs of the county, then he is entitled to receive and has a right to expect the hearty support of the medical profession and citizens generally in the campaign for betterment of health and sanitary conditions. If, on the other hand, it is found that his record discloses delinquency or inefficiency in his public duties, then, he contends, he has no business at the head of a department of such importance and is willing to step down and out of an office which he has never sought, but one to which he has given his time and best thought and knowledge.

A copy of the communication and also the resolution adopted by the Board of Health were placed in the mails last night addressed to Dr. Rankin. He probably will receive the letter tomorrow morning and the County Board of Health expects him to take immediate action. It is believed here that Dr. Rankin will welcome the opportunity thus afforded him to make an investigation of the situation in Wilmington, his office in Raleigh having heard something from time to time of the controversy going on here. The statement has been made that he has been repeatedly urged by the opposition to Dr. Nesbitt to come here and make an investigation, but that he refused on the ground that it has always been the policy of the State Board of Health not to take a hand in purely local affairs unless requested to do so by some responsible body.

Conditional Resignation.

The conditional resignation of Dr. Nesbitt and his communication to the Board of Health are given below:

"Martin S. Willard, Chairman County Board of Health, New Hanover County, N. C.

"Sir:—I have the honor to submit herewith my resignation as superintendent of health for the consolidated health boards of Wilmington and New Hanover county, North Carolina. This resignation to be presented by you to the County Board of Health and acted upon in case the suggested investigation of the administration of your health department shall show that I have been in any respect delinquent or inefficient in the discharge of my public duties.

"Very respectfully,
"CHAS. T. NESBITT.
"Superintendent of Health."
"August 23rd, 1913.

"To the County Board of Health, Martin S. Willard, Chairman.

"Gentlemen:—The continued opposition to the administration of the health department, and the fact that this opposition is supported and encouraged by prominent members of the local medical profession, who have been, or are, identified with the health work of the State, the county and the city, indicate that there are grave faults in this administration.

"If such faults exist, it is but just that these members of the medical profession whom it may be assumed are thoroughly informed on public health work and the local service, and any other citizen who may object to the administration, may have the opportunity to serve their home community by presenting the facts in their possession in such a manner as to insure a correction of these faults.

"It is but justice to the citizens of this city and county that they be assured that the public funds are being wisely applied in the conservation of health, and that no influence in the administration and no methods of procedure will be permitted to continue which are not for the best interests of the citizen body.

"In order to secure the best results for the community, I beg to suggest the following plan for your consideration.

"First: That the County Board of Health, officially and formally, request Dr. W. S. Rankin, the executive officer of the State Board of Health, to ask the Surgeon General of the United States Public Health Service to detail an officer from his corps, one who has never been stationed in Wilmington and who is not acquainted with local conditions, to act with him (Dr. W. S. Rankin), as a committee of two, to investigate the health administration of the city of Wilmington and the county of New Hanover during the entire time that has elapsed since the 6th day of June, 1911, in every phase of its operation. To meet and obtain statements of the objections and criticisms with reference to the health administration from the physicians and other persons who have expressed themselves in this particular, and to meet and hear the statements of any other person who may desire to appear before them for any reason, and to use every means in their power to discover every source of objection together with its motive, as well as every method of procedure in use in the health department which is not in accordance with accepted usage and economic management.

"Second: That the result of this investigation be made public in a report which shall be a frank statement of the findings in every particular. Such report to be given to the public press immediately upon its presentation to the County Board of Health.

"Third: That if this plan meets with approval of the County Board of Health, they act immediately, so that if it be possible to place the local health work on a basis of unhampered progress through the findings of this investigating board, such action of the board as may be deemed necessary may be taken at the earliest possible date.

"I take it for granted that during the progress of this investigation I shall be permitted to be present at all hearings together with Mr. Willard, the chairman of the County Board of Health, and that I shall be permitted to arrange for, and conduct the defense of my administration, in the matter of criticisms and objections which may be presented under the same rules which obtain in a court of justice.

"With this communication, I am submitting to the chairman of the Board of Health an undated letter of resignated to be acted upon in the event that the proposed investigation in question results in showing that I have been delinquent or inefficient in my public duties.

"Respectfully submitted,
"CHAS. T. NESBITT.
"Superintendent of Health."

Resolution Adopted.

The following resolution was offered and adopted upon the reading of the communication from Dr. Nesbitt:

"Whereas, a communication has been received from Dr. Nesbitt, superintendent o fhealth, requesting an investigation of the administration of the health department, be it

"Resolved, That this board hereby does formally request Dr. W. S. Rankin, secretary of the State Board of Health, to arrange for and hold this investigation under the terms and conditions contained in the communication submitted by its superintendent of health, Dr. Nesbitt without delay."

Chairman Willard presided at the meeting and in attendance were Mayor P. Q. Moore, Prof. Washington Catlett, Dr. J. B. Cranmer, members of the board, Dr. C. P. Bolles, the fifth member being absent; Dr. Charles T. Nesbitt and Dr. John Thames, assistant superintendent and clerk of the board.

COMING THEATRICAL SEASON

Notable List of Attractions Booked For Local Playhouse—First September 5th—Mr. Hamilton Manager.

Artistically it can be marked down as certain that Wilmington is going to have its most brilliant theatrical period in the season 1913-14, now fast approaching. Announcement made yesterday from the offices in this city of the Schloss Circuit of Theatres shows conclusively that the bookings for Wilmington for the coming season are not only the most numerous, but the most brilliant ever obtained, and the management has every reason to expect big things in the way of patronage, always having found the Wilmington theatre public appreciative.

The Academy is to open a preliminary season in less than a fortnight presenting September 5th, the well known rural drama "Quincy Adams Sawyer," which was offered with such big success, by the Academy several seasons ago. This season a big revival is being given, with a notable New York cast. The next night, September 6th, a brand new version, of the tuneful, most laughable and always popular, "Mutt and Jeff in Panama," will be offered.

Between this preliminary opening and the regular opening there will be an interim of about two weeks. The Wilmington playhouse will open, in a blaze of glory, as it were, the night of September 20th when Henry W. Savage's wonderful music show, "Little Boy Blue," will be given a gorgeous production by a giant sized company. This will indeed give a glorious start and theatre-goers will hear of the coming of this brilliant, really tremendous attraction, with great delight and praise the Academy management for its enterprise in securing such a superb opening attraction. From then on attractions will follow fast. The galaxy will be the most brilliant, Wilmington has ever known and will not only include New York plays of the present day, but the original companies. In fact, some of Broadway's biggest favorites are to appear this season at the Academy. The correctness of this assertion will be at once recognized when it is mentioned that such great stars as Annie Russell, Anna Held, Viola Allen, Rose Stahl, and others are to appear.

The bookings alone of these stars indicate the brilliancy of the coming season.

In the minstrel line there will be presented the greatest attractions not only afforded on the road but by New York. Of course, the ever-popular Al G. Field's Greater Minstrels will be on deck, but there will also be the great Primrose and Dockstader show and George Evans' (Honey Boy Evans) Minstrels. The notable list of attractions also includes such big shows as George M. Cohan's "Little Millionaire," "The Barber of Seville" "Little Women," "The Trail of the Lonesome Pine" (one of the biggest of all hits); "The Confession," "Five Frankforters,' "The Girl of My Dreams," "The Shepherd of the Hills" (a sumptuous production); "Robin Hood", by an all star cast and company on one hundred; "Mary's Lamb," "The Governor's Lady", "Oh, Oh Delphine," "Officer 666," "Bought and Paid For," "Fine Feathers," "Ready Money" "Everywoman," "Salome" and many others.

After noting the above list every Wilmington theatre-goer is bound to be happy over the prospects for the season and put the Academy management on the back for having secured the best bookings in the history of Wilmington, theatrically.

Work of getting the Academy ready for the coming season is now in progress and everything will be spick-and-span for the opening. The theatre will be in charge this season of Mr H. L. Hamilton, of New York, who Mr. S. A. Schloss especially engaged to act as resident manager. Mr. Hamilton is a thorough theatrical man of experience, and has things ready for the opening. With Mr. Hamilton at the helm, Mr. Schloss feels certain that the Academy will this season be conducted in up-to-date manner and that the pleasure and comfort of the patrons will be carefully looked after, and by a theatrical manager, too, of experience.

Mr. Hamilton will be ably assisted by Miss Sadie Booker, who has been in the head office of the Schloss Circuit here for the past eight years, and is unusually well qualified to furnish him able assistance.

FUNERAL OF MRS. MUNDS.

Services Will be Held This Afternoon From the Residence.

From the family residence, corner Fourth and Ann streets, at 5 o'clock this afternoon, will be held the funeral of Mrs. Minnie del Aigle Munds, widow of Mr. James Dickson Munds, conducted by Rev. Thos. P. Noe, rector of the Church of the Good Shepherd, in the absence of Rev. Dr. W. H. Milton, rector of St. James' church, of which Mrs. Munds was a member. Following the services at the home the body will be tenderly borne to Oakdale cemetery, where the interment will take place. Mrs. Munds passed away Friday afternoon, after a short illness.

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REPORT TO THE CORPORATION COMMISSION.
of the Condition of

The Wilmington Savings & Trust Co.

at WILMINGTON, N. C., at the close of business on August 9th, 1913.

RESOURCES:		LIABILITIES:	
Loans and Discounts other than demand loans	$1,719,968.32	Capital Stock	$ 100,000.00
North Carolina State Bonds	5,000.00	Surplus Fund	150,000.00
Other Stocks, Bonds and Mortgages	20,400.00	Undivided Profits, less current expenses and taxes paid	91,635.69
Banking House	50,000.00	Accrued Interest due Depositors	15,000.00
Demand Loans	184,846.82	Dividends Unpaid	250.00
Cash on hand and in banks	352,880.76	Deposits	2,041,858.03
Invested Trust Funds	65,647.82		
Total	$2,398,743.72	Total	$2,398,743.72

I, John Lewis Williams, Cashier of the Wilmington Savings & Trust Company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
JOHN LEWIS WILLIAMS.

CORRECT ATTEST:
N. B. RANKIN,
J. V. GRAINGER Directors.
J. D. BELLAMY.

State of North Carolina,
County of New Hanover.
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 11th day of August, 1913. C. S. GRAINGER.

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Popular Kinds of Silks at Popular Prices.

Cord Ratines, 30 inches wide; something entirely new for Fall Suits; colors: White, Copenhagen, Leather and Light Blue; regular 50c quality, priced for this sale, a yard **35c**

Crepe Ratines, 27 inches wide; full line of colors; regular 35c quality; priced for this sale, a yard **23c**

36-inch Silk Finish Ratines; colors: White, Light Blue, Pink, Rose and Copenhagen Blue; our regular 65c quality; priced Special at, a yard **49c**

Colored Nolly Voiles, 27 inches wide; all colors; regular 20c quality; priced Special at, a yard **15c**

Brocaded Armure Silk, 27 inches wide, for street and evening wear; full showing of colors; regular 75c quality; priced Special at, a yard .. **42c**

27-inch Brocaded Crepe de Chine; regular 75c quality; priced Special at, a yard **50c**

36-inch White Habuti China Silk; regular 85c quality; priced Special at, a yard **69c**

Specials From Our Wash Goods Department.

72-inch Table Damask, mercerized finish; regular 65c quality; priced Special at, a yard **42c**

72-inch Pure Linen Table Damask; extra fine quality; regular $1.25 value; priced Special at, a yard **85c**

90-inch Pure Linen Sheeting; regular $1.25 quality; Special for this Sale at, a yard **85c**

36-inch Killarney Linen, extra fine quality; Special price for this Sale, at a yard **12c**

81x90 Lenox Sheets; our regular 85c quality; priced Special at, each .. **65c**

72x90 Louise Sheets; our regular 60c quality; priced Special at, each .. **42c**

35c Huck Towels; extra large and heavy quality; priced Special, at each **25c**

25c Turkish Towels, extra large size; while they last at, each **19c**

$1.25 quality Bed Spreads; large size; Special Sale price, each **95c**

36-inch Luna Lawns, extra fine and sheer quality; price during this Sale, a yard **16½c**

45x36 Popular Pillow Cases; our regular 15c quality; price during this Sale, each **10c**

Hair Goods Demonstration and Sale a Few Days Longer

From the Excellent Satisfaction given, we have arranged for the sale of the goods to be continued a few days longer, as it seems the well-dressed women are just becoming acquainted with this exceptional opportunity.

JUST A FEW DAYS MORE.

This will be your Last Opportunity to take advantage of this

GREAT HAIR SALE.

The Coiffure today is considered just as essential by Fashion's devotees as any other part of the dress. Not only does this demonstration embrace the very latest in Hair Goods, but are able to match your hair perfectly, no matter what the shade. All the Rare shades are here; pure white, grays, reds, auburn, etc.

SPECIAL PRICES: $2.00, $3.50, $5.00, $6.00 AND UP.

SOCIAL & PERSONAL

Miss Lillian Fonvielle left yesterday for Waynesville to spend a few days.

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Mrs. J. Wash Bizzell, of Goldsboro, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. D. Bundy.

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Mrs. B. J. Hughes, of Norfolk, Va., is visiting her brother, Mr. E. B. King, No. 110 Grace street.

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Mr. R. W. Murphy, of Greensboro, and Mr. Thomas H. Sutton, Jr., of Fayetteville, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Covington.

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The Misses Overcarsh returned yesterday to their home in Charlotte, after a pleasant visit to their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Creasy.

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Misses Isla Ward and Eloise Walker, of Currie, N. C., have returned from an extended trip to Northern cities, having visited Baltimore, Washington, Atlantic City and New York.

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Mrs. John Shuford, of Hickory, accompanied by her daughter, Mrs. J. H. Geitner and grandson, Master Clement of the same place, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Warren, No. 512 Chestnut street.

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Friends will be delighted to know that Mrs. A. B. VanBuren and little son are doing nicely at the James Walker Memorial Hospital and that they hope to be at home on Market street within the next few days.

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Miss Rosetta Shannon entertained at her home on North Third street Friday evening. Heart dice was played. The prizes for the highest scores went to Miss Birdie Miles and Mr. Lockfaw. The booby prize went to Mr. Rooney. The color scheme of pink and white was carried out in the score cards and refreshments.

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The Clyde Liner Cherokee sailed from Wilmington for New York at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon with the following passenger list: Miss M. A. Rulland, Mrs. E. Underhill, Miss Florence Roscoe, Mr. James Campbell, Mr. H. Lyona, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Rennell, Mr. J. H. Doherty, Mr. F. D. Alexander, Mrs. Thos. Harrison, Mr. J. A. Waxman, Mr. M. Zaglin, Messrs. W. C. Munds, A. Einstein, W. C. Anderson, E. Bellamy, J. J. Goodwin and Miss M. Horen.

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Mr. F. L. Glover, who has been chief clerk in the Freight Traffic Department of the Atlantic Coast Line here, has resigned and leaves today for Savannah, Ga., where he will become chief clerk to General Freight Agent C. McD. Davis. Mr. Glover came here from Atlanta about a year ago and has made many friends here, both socially and in connection with his work, who will regret to see him leave. His successor has not yet been announced.

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Rev. G. T. Adams, pastor of Fifth Street Methodist church, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. W. G. Adams, and daughter, Miss Matha Adams, returned yesterday from Macon, Ga., where on Wednesday evening at 4 o'clock he officiated at the marriage of his sister, Miss Lina Adams, to Mr. William MacDonald, a prominent business man of Durham. The wedding took place at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. B. F. Vinson. Following the ceremony the bride and groom left for Durham, where they will reside. Mr. Adams will conduct the regular preaching services at Fifth Street church this morning and night.

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At the residence of her parents, Friday afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock, Marguerite Pender McAlister delightfully entertained a number of young people in celebration of her 10th birthday. Among those present to help gladden the occasion were Adelaide Stevens, Rosa Thompson, John R. Armstrong, Ida Hinnant, David H. Armstrong, Jr., Bessie Hinnant, Elizabeth Ellis, Louise Stephens, Lorrina Bordoin, Lila Mae McAlister and Blanch Bordoin. After many delightful games upon the lawn dainty refreshments were served. The occasion will long be remembered by all present, and all wished their little hostess many more happy birthdays.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Mr. T. A. McNeill, of Lumberton, was a guest at The Orton.

—Mr. O. T. Teachey, of Teacheys, was in the city yesterday.

—Mr. J. L. Lovslace, of Florence, S. C., spent yesterday here.

—Mr. H .C. Curtis, of Southport, was a guest at The Orton yesterday.

—Mr. J. L. Lovelace, of Florence, was registered at The Orton yesterday.

—Mr. John Rowe, a popular drug saiesman, is in the city, a guest at The Orton.

—Mr. W. E. Mann, who has been engaged the past several months at Pensacola, N. C., returned home yesterday to spend a few days. He expects to leave later for Panama City, Fla.

—Mr. William Otersen, of the firm of Stewart & Otersen, has returned from a two weeks' visit to the Northern markets, where he purchased the Fall stock for the firm's two local stores.

Mr. Gordon C. Corbaley, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, of Seattle Wash., will arrive today to inspect the plant of the National Wood Distilling Co., with the view of utilizing this process on the Pacific Coast.

—Mr. J. A. Karr, formerly of Wilmington and an alderman of the city, is expected in the city today to spend the week-end with friends and relatives. Mr. Karr is now located at Wallace, N. C., where he is engaged in box and crate manufacturing.

—Rev. R. C. Holland, D. D., President of the Foreign Mission Board of the Lutheran church for the Southern States, arrived last night to visit his brother-in-law, Rev. W. G. McClanahan, pastor of St. Matthew's Lutheran church. He will preach at St. Matthew's this evening at 8 o'clock.

Funeral of Mr. Jordan.

The funeral of Mr. William J. Jordan, whose death occurred Friday night after an illness of a few months, will be held at 4:30 o'clock this afternoon from the family residence, No 105 Meares Street, condncted by Rev. G. T. Adams, pastor of Fifth Street Methodist church, o fwhich Mr. Jordan was a member. Mr. Jordan was a member of Cherokee Tribe, Improved Order Red Men, an dmembers of the tribe will attend in ab doy. They will meet at their wigwam this afternoon at 3.30 o'clock and go in a body to the residence.

The attitude of England in this canal matter is simply preposterous. It amounts to seting up a claim to her right to dictate to the United States.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

LOCAL DOTS.

—Rev. J. L. Barnwell, of Ferris, Texas, will conduct the morning services at the Brooklyn Baptist church today.

—John Burns, colored, was arrested late yesterday afternoon by Officer A. D. Smith for carrying concealed weapons. He was placed in the city prison.

—Bud Hill, colored, had a hearing before Justice Harriss yesterday on a charge of vagrancy. He was found guilty and given 30 days on the county roads.

—License was issued yesterday for the marriage of Mr. Robt. G. Farmer, of Southport, son of Mr. G. G. Farmer, of Virginia, and Miss Katie Piver, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Piver, of Southport.

—John McMillan, colored, who works for the Independent Ice Co., wants it made plain that he is not the Robert McMillan who reported a number of colored blind tigers to the police last week. The Robert McMillan who got in the limelight does not work for the ice company.

—At the colored Chautauqua pavilion located on Red Cross street near Ninth, there will be a special service tcnight at 8 o'clock conducted by Elder Sydney Scott. Monday night there will be several white physicians in attendance who will discuss tuberculosis and how to prevent its spread.

—Mr. Archie Hanby, for whom his brother, Mr. Louis Hanby had a peace warrant issued Wednesday, and against whom Justice Bornemann Friday found judgment and ordered that he be placed under a $500 bond to keep the peace for six months, appeared yesterday before Justice Bornemann, and arranged the bond. He was absent from the trial Friday on account of illness.

—Henry Loane Lloyd, an attorney at law, Baltimore, Md., would like information of the heirs of "Edward Myers, born in Germany, died 1871, at Spartanburg, S. C., buried at Wilmington, S. C., late an officer in the U. S. army, or his nearest living relative?" The attorney writes that he has information that may benefit his heirs-at-law and will greatly appreciate any information.

CHURCH NOTICES.

Announcements of Wilmington Pastors For Services Today.

Southside Baptist Church—Rev. W. M. Craig will preach at 11 A. M., in the Boy's Brigade Armory. Mr. S. B. Moore, Assistant Secretary of the Y. M. C. A., will conduct the services at 8 P. M.

Brooklyn Baptist Cruch—Rev. J. A. Sullivan, pastor. Services at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Rev. George L. Barnwell, of Texas, will preach at the morning hour. At night the pastor will speak on the subject: "A Better Crop of Boys and Girls." Sunday School at 4:30 P. M. Mr. J. M. Bullard, superintendent. Prayer meeting Wednesday night. Sunbeams will meet Thursday 4 P. M. B. Y. P. U., will take a stereopticon trip to Africa Thursday night. Teachers' meeting Friday night. A cordial welcome to all services.

St. Paul's Lutheran Church—Sixth and Market Streets—Services at 11 A. M., sermon by the former pastor, Rev. F. W. E. Peschau. Services will be conducted by Rev. G. W. McClanahan of St. Matthew's Church. Sunday School in Lutheran Memorial Building at 10 o'clock.

Trinity Methodist church, corner of Ninth and Market streets, Rev. C. T. Rogers, pastor—Preaching at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. Sunday School at 4 P. M. Business Men's Bible class at 4 P. M. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. The public is invited.

First Baptist church, corner Fifth and Market streets, Rev. Dr. J. H. Foster, pastor—Preaching at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. by Rev. C. F. Whitlock, of Joplin, Mo., former pastor of Brooklyn Baptist church of this city. The public is cordially invited.

Grace Methodist church, Rev. J. D. Bundy, pastor—Services at 11 A. M., and 8 P. M. Sunday School at 9:45 A. M. Prayer meeting Wednesday at 8 P. M. Epworth League Friday at 8 P. M. Everybody invited to all these services.

St. Matthew's Evangelical Lutheran church, Rev. G. W. McClanahan, pastor—The congregation will unite in the morning with St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran church at 11 o'clock. The Rev. Dr. Peschau, a former pastor, will preach the sermon and Rev. G. W. McClanahan, in the absence of the pastor, Rev. F. B. Clausen, will conduct the services. Sunday School 10 A. M. Young People's service 7:15 P. M. Vesper service at 8 o'clock. Wednesday evening service at 8 o'clock.

WILL IMPROVE SERVICE.

A. C. L. Replacing All Wooden Cars With Steel Equipment.

Mr. W. J. Craig of this city, passenger traffic manager of the Atlantic Coast Line, visited Jacksonville, Florida, the past week to confer with division passenger agents there. The Times-Union Friday morning published an interview with Mr. Craig, from which the following paragraphs of interest to Wilmington are taken:

"In reference to the approaching Winter's business, Mr. Craig said that the eyes of the entire country were turned toward the South by reason of the fact that this section was developing with such marvelous rapidity.

"Of course we have to keep abreast of this development, said Mr. Craig, and consequently the Atlantic Coast Line railway intends to increase the efficiency of its service to the highest possible standard.

"'In keeping with the policy of all standard and progressive railroad systems of the country, the Atlantic Coast Line is replacing all of its old wooden cars, etc., with modern steel equipment. In this connection, we will only operate all-steel trains between Jacksonville and New York during the approaching season.

"'We are having nine new dining cars built to be placed on our fast tourist trains. In other words, our tourist trains from New York to Florida this coming Winter will not be eclipsed by any road in the United States.

"'We are also building between thirty-five and forty new locomotives of the Mikado, Atlantic and Pacific types.'"

Funeral of Young Child.

The funeral of the young son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hanby, whose death occurred Friday night, was held yesterday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock at the residence of Mr. C. D. Foard, No. 15 North Fifth street, conducted by Rev. J. D. Bundy, pastor of Grace Methodist church. The interment was in Oakdale cemetery.

DIED.

HANBY—At Wrightsville Beach, at the residence of her son, Jno. R. Hanby, Saturday night, August 23rd, 1913, ADRIENNE K. HANBY, relict of Joseph H. Hanby, in the 65th year of her age. Funeral announcement later.

(advertisement.)

WITH THE MOVIES

Ready for the new week, keyed up to a high degree of success is the popular Bijou, and it will inaugurate the new week tomorrow with one of the best bills ever offered anywhere. Besides witnessing a swell bill tomorrow, Bijou devotees will also feel certain of enjoying solid comfort. As the star of tomorrow's great bill the theatre will offer Essanay's latest special two-reel release, "Tapped Wires", It is a hummer for dramatic action and will thrill every second. It is a story of rival newspaper work and how one news bureau taps the wires of another. The special release comes direct from factory to Bijou and will be flashed on the big Bijou screen tomorrow at the same time that it is shown in the larger cities of the country. Another stirring dramatic is on tomorrow in Kalem's "The Sheriff of Stone Gulch," which is a love story with daring cowboys and bandits.

Grand's New Week.

One fine bill but gives way to another fine one at the handsome Grand theatre. So it is that tomorrow this cozy amusement spot will present something else of superb nature in the way of moving pictures, plus good music. The bill tomorrow will be of unusual strength, as it numbers among the films Edison's delightful dramatic: "In the Old Dutch Times," which is a story of old, full of dramatic action, beautiful scenery and quaint costumes. The cast that will present it includes well known artists, such as Helen Coughlin, Robert Lett, Bigelow Cooper, Bessie Learn and Maggie Weston. Kalem's "The Smuggler" is another star on tomorrow, and as its name indicates it deals with an exciting, fascinating theme. There is yet another notable photoplay for tomorrow in the Vitagraph's "The Test of Friendship."

MORE WORDS OF PRAISE.

Chief Schnibben Continues to Receive Letters of Thanks.

Fire Chief Schnibben continues to receive letters from the different companies who attended the recent tournament here expressive of their great appreciation of the handsome treatment which they received while in Wilmington. Yesterday he received the following letter from the captain of the Salisbury fire department:

"Salisbury, N. C., Aug. 21, 1913.

"Chief Schnibben, Wilmington, N. C.

"In behalf of myself and sons together with a party of friends, I desire to express to you the keen appreciation and heartfelt thanks that each of us feel towards you for your hospitality and kindness to us during our short stay in your beautiful city by the sea.

"The fame of the tidewater metropolis of our grand old Commonwealth, has been heralded abroad and we knew something of your magnificent barbors, beautiful rivers and splendid beaches, we knew of the wonderful life giving and exhilirating salt water baths and the bracing Atlantic sea breezes and we had heard of the warm hearts throbbing within the breasts of Wilmington's brave men and fair women.

"Knowing something of her fame we were prepared to admire your city's material beauty and wonderful achievements and we expected to enjoy our stay within her gates, but our hearts have been touched by your personal hospitality and kindness even more deeply than our admiration was enkindled by the attractiveness of your palatial city.

"I want to especially thank through you Mr. Skelding, manager of the Tidewater Power Company, for so graciously granting to us the privilege of erecting our tent on their property at Wrightsville, and of the further extending to us the use of the beach and its conveniences.

"I wish in closing to heartily thank you personally for your kindness and courtesy while we were in your city which will ever be kindly remembered, and we trust that you may be the honored head of the Wilmington Fire Department for many years to come, and that we may have many more times the pleasure of meeting with you on these festive occasions, and perhaps some day I may have the great pleasure of returning in a small way your kind hospitality.

"May God's richest blessings rest upon you and yours in your lovely seashore home. "Sincerely yours,

"J. T. MORGAN,

"Captain and ex-Chief, Salisbury Fire Department."

The following is from the Burlington News of this week:

"Chief Ben Walker and his sturdy band of fire laddies are back again from Wilmington. They are more than enthusiastic over the gathering of the firemen. They report the most pleasant time of their experience, and attribute it to Chief Schnibben, of the Wilmington company, who had the tournament in charge, and handled it in such a masterly manner. Chief Walker says that each man of the Burlington company wishes to personally thank Chief Schnibben for the royal way in which he treated them, and feel that he left undone nothing that would add to their comfort."

MRS. ADRIENNE HANBY DEAD.

Greatly Beloved Lady Falls on Sleep. Was Widow of Mr. J. H. Hanby.

Mrs. Adrienne K. Hanby, relict of Mr. Joseph H. Hanby, died last evening at 9:15 o'clock at the Summer home of her son, Mr. Jno. R. Hanby, at Wrightsville Beach. She was in her 65th year and had been in failing health for the past six months, but the end came unexpectedly. Mrs. Hanby is survived by two sons, Mr. Jno. R. Hanby, of this city, and Dr. Joseph D. Hanby, of Plain View, Tex., who will reach the city Wednesday. Mrs. Hanby had been for more than 30 years a devoted and consistent member of the First Baptist church. She was a devoted wife and faithful mother, and a loyal friend whose passing will bring grief to a wide circle of people who loved her much. The deepest sympathy is extended to the bereaved ones. Notice of the funeral will be made later.

Married Here Yesterday.

Mr. Robert G. Farmer, a member of the Coast Artillery Corps, U. S. A., stationed at Fort Caswell, and Miss Katie Piver, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Piver, of Southport, were married in this city yesterday at 2 o'clock, the ceremony being performed by Rev. J. A. Sullivan, pastor of Brooklyn Baptist church, at his home. The young couple left in the afternoon on the steamer Getty for Southport, where they will reside making their home for the present with the bride's parents.

NOTICE TO RED MEN.

Members of Cherokee Tribe No. 9, Improved Order of Red Men, are notified to appear at the wigwam Sunday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock to attend the funeral of Brother W. J. Jordan. Members of Eyota Tribe, and visiting Red Men are also invited to attend.

By order of Sachem A. T. Parker.

W. H. LANE, C. O. R.

TRAGIC DEATH OF YOUNG LADY

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cars or the young lady until the moment that she was struck to the ground. There were two cars and the motorman was standing in a box like fixture at the rear of the front car. There was some freight on the flat car he thought. It was going at the time it struck he rat the rate of about 5 miles an hour. He did not hear any bell ring.

Ed Waddell, colored, who was working with Mr. Price, testified that he saw the cars whenthey were about 10 feet away from Miss Bostick. The motorman was trying to put on the brakes. The front wheels of the front car ran over the body, and it was taken from under the rear of the front car. He heard the car coming but did not hear any bell.

At this juncture the inquest was adjourned until 8 o'clock last night when the hearing was resumed.

Night Session Held.

The first witness examined last night was Bennie Dew, colored, who was one of the trainmen on the cars. He testified that at the time of the accident, he and Herman Sheppard were in the rear car or what is known as the trailer. He felthe brakes when they were applied and thought that the car ran about 40 feet before it stopped. The track was very slippery on account of rain which made it hard to stop the cars. He thought that it could have been stopped before it reached Miss Bostick had it not been for the slick track. There was no one on the front car which dwas loaded with coca-cola cases.

There were no brakes on the rear car and only hand brakes on the front car. It was possible, he thought, to ring the bell and apply the brakes at the same time. On the front car there was a railing which extended about four feet above the floor of the car. This would make the top of this railing about eight feet above the ground he thought.

Herman Sheppard, colored, the other trainmen on the cars at the time the accident happened testified that he was in the rear car when he felt the brakes being put on and the motor being reversed. He thought that the cars ran about 200 feet after the brakes were applied before they stopped. As soon as they were stopped he jumped off and at the request of Mr. Bishop removed the body of Miss Bostick which was under the rear car and carried it to the side of the track. There was no one on the front of the car, although it was the duty of the other man to be in front, he thought. The track was level at that point, but the track was slippery which made it hard to stop the cars quickly.

Mr. Bishop Testifies.

At the close of the examination of the witnesses Mr. Bishop asked to be allowed to make a statement. He did this voluntarily, as under the law he could not be required to testify. He stated that he saw Miss Bostick about 200 yards ahead of the cars, and that she was on the other track, there being two tracks at that point, and that when the cars were within about 75 yards of her she stepped over on the track on which the cars were running. When he saw that she was liable to be run over he immediately applied the brakes. He did not ring the gong as he did not have time to do both, and he thought that he could stop the cars before they reached her.

However, he was moving at he time he began to apply the brakes at a speed of over 20 miles an hour. The track was slippery on account of the rain and as there was only one brake on the car he was unable to stop the cars before they struck Miss Bostick.

After hearing Mr. Bishop's statement the jury decided to adjourn until Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock at which time the verdict will be rendered.

Funeral This Afternoon.

The body of Miss Bostick will be taken to the family home at Wallace on the 8.30 train this morning. The funeral will be held this afternoon from the residence. The bereaved family have the tender sympathy of many friends both here and at Wallace. Miss Bostick was a young lady of many admirable traits of character, and had made many friends during her visits to Wilmington.

Mr. Bishop, who had the sad misfortune to be running the cars which struck Miss Bostick, has been with the Tidewater Power Company for many years, and is one of its most trusted men. He was very much distressed over the affair, and stated that he did everything in his power to avoid it. He is regarded as one of the company's most reliable motormen.

This is the first accident of any moment that has happened on the suburban lines of the Tidewater Power Company in a number of years. The officials of the company, as well as the public generally deeply regret the sad occurrence.

MOTORCYCLE SMASHES BUGGY.

The Rider, Mr. P. K. Mumford, Painfully Injured—Others Hurt.

While riding a motorcycle at a rapid rate yesterday morning around a curve at Delgado, Mr. P. K. Mumford ran into a buggy which was being driven by Mr. Bishop Weaver, who was accompanied by his wife and two children. Mumford was badly bruised, and was taken to the James Walker Memorial Hospital for necessary surgical attention. He was reported last night as getting along nicely. On the motorcycle with Mumford was Dallas Orrell, who was only slightly hurt. Mrs. Weaver was also bruised up somewhat, but not seriously. Mr. Weaver and children escaped unscathed with the exception of a severe shaking up.

The buggy was almost completely wrecked. One of the wheels was broken into smithereens, and the body of the buggy was torn from the axles. The occupants of the buggy were all thrown to the ground by the collision. The motorcycle was also badly tourn up.

After the accident Deputy Sheriff Reynolds investigated the matter, and decided to have a warrant issued charging Mumford with speeding. He was placed under arrest at the hospital, and will have a hearing when he is able to be out again.

Only One Week Remains.

Those who have not listed their taxes are reminded that only this week remains in which they may list. Those who do not list by September 1st will have their names presented to the jury for action when court convenes September 8th. Each day this week the tax listers will be at the Court House from 9 A. M., to 1:30 P. M., and from 3 to 5 P. M., for the purpose of listing taxes of delinquents.

Married Here Wednesday.

Mr. Daniel P. Johnson, of Norfolk, Va., and Miss Mary E. Fulk, of Wilmington, were married at the parsonage of Grace Methodist church Wednesday evening at 7:30, Rev. J. D. Bundy officiating. Mr. Johnson formerly resided in Wilmington for a short time. They will make their home in Norfolk.

Wrightsville Beach

Mrs. E. B. Wright and daughter, of Boardman, are at the Seashore Hotel for a few days.

Capt. John H. Sharp, of Atlanta, who spent the past two months at the beach, left yesterday for his home.

Last night the regular week-end dance was given at Lumina and was attended by a large crowd, many going down from the city.

Yesterday afternoon's Fayetteville Observer: "Mrs. Jane Sholar has returned from Wilmington and Wrightsville Beach, where she has been spending a month.

A large number of people are expected to arrive on the beach today from Atlanta. A special train left last night, and will reach here today. A special rate of $5 for the round trip, it is believed, will induce many people to come to the beach for a few days rest. The excursion will come via the Seaboard.

The regular Sunday concerts will be given at Lumina today, afternoon and evening. The afternoon concert begins at 3:30 and the evening concert at 8:30. As usual, an attractive programme has been arranged for both concerts. The regular Sunday concerts will end with next Sunday, though it is likely that the Tidewater Power Co., will arrange for the concerts to be given for the first one or two Sundays in September.

SPORTS.

INDEPENDENT LEAGUE.

Immanuels and Giants Win in Yesterday's Games at League Park.

In the first game at League Park yesterday afternoon between the Immanuel Athletics and Wrightsboro the former won by the score of 12 to 5. It was an interesting game from the start, and was featured by the heavy hitting of the Immanuels. The batteries were for the Immanuels, Lockamy and Todd; for Wrightsboro, Seltter and Strickland. In the second game the Giants won over the Wilmington Juniors, the score being 9 to 5. The batteries were: Giants, James and Buck; Juniors, Hunt and Shore. These teams will play again next Saturday at League Park.

The standing of the teams for the season is as follows:

	W	L	Pct.
Immanuels	3	1	.750
Wrightsboro	2	2	.500
Giants	2	2	.500
Juniors	1	3	.250

Pomerania in 1912, grew 1,017,856 tons of sugar beets. West Prussia produced 1,092,867 tons.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

The funeral o fthe late Mrs. MARIE HONNETT, whose death occurred at the family home, No. 322 South Front street, will take place this (Sunday) morning at 11:30 o'clock from the late residence and interment will be in Oakdale cemetery.

(Advertisement.)

FUNERAL NOTICE.

The funeral of Mrs. Minnie del Aigle Munds will be held from her late residence, Fourth and Ann streets, this (Sunday) afternoon at 5 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances respectfully invited to attend.

(advertisement.)

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, COUNTY of New Hanover. In the Superior Court, September Term, A. D. 1913.—M. W. Divine, M. J. Corbett and C. C. Chadbourn vs. Carter's Creek Fish Guano Company, Summons and Warrant of Attachment.

State of North Carolina: To Carter's Creek Fish Guano Company—

You are hereby commanded to be and appear at the next term of the Superior Court of New Hanover County to be held at the Court House in Wilmington, N. C., on the first Monday after the first Monday of September, A. D. 1913, it being the 8th day of September, 1913, to answer the complaint of the plaintiff, which will be filed on or before the 3rd day of said term of Court, and you, Carter's Creek Fish Guano Company, are notified that if you fail to appear, answer or demur to the plaintiffs' complaint during said term, the plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

You are further notified that this action is brought by the plaintiffs to recover of the Carter's Creek Fish Guano Company the sum of Twenty-Two Thousand, Five Hundred Dollars, with interest on Fifteen Thousand Dollars from the 13th day of March, 1913, and interest on Seven Thousand, Five Hundred Dollars from the 1st of April, 1913, said indebtedness evidenced by two promissory notes dated March 14th, 1912, executed by Carter's Creek Fish Guano Company to the plaintiffs above named.

Carter's Creek Fish Guano Company are further notified that at the time the summons was issued herein, a warrant of attachment was issued against its property and levied upon the indebtedness due by the Ocean Fisheries Company to the defendant, amounting to about Twenty-Six Thousand Dollars, which warrant of attachment is returnable to the next term of the Superior Court of New Hanover County, to be held at the Court House in Wilmington, N. C., on the 8th day of September, A. D. 1913, said warrant of attachment having been issued and levied upon said indebtedness due by Ocean Fisheries Company to Carter's Creek Fish Guano Company to secure the payment of the judgment to be obtained in this cause on the two notes above mentioned, which are now past due and owing the plaintiffs.

This 23rd day of August, A. D. 1913.

W. N. HARRISS,
Clerk Superior Court New Hanover County.

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Lumina Concerts

Jno. F. Kneisel, Director.

PROGRAMME
For Today
AFTERNOON—3:30 O'CLOCK

1. March—"The Enterpriser" ..... J. Bodewalt Lampe
2. Concert Valse—"The Skaters" ..... E. Waldteufel
3. Intermezzo Egyptienne—"Zallah" ..... Wm. Lorraine
4. March—"Good Fellowship" ..... Jos. M. Daly

INTERMISSION

5. Characteristic—"Cowboy Capers" ..... Thos. S. Allen
6. Tone Poem—"Apple Blossoms" ..... Kathleen A. Roberts
7. Romance—"Salut d'Amour" ..... Edward Elgar
8. March—"The Great Divide" ..... Louis Maurice

NIGHT, 8:30 O'CLOCK

1. March—"National Emblem" ..... E. E. Bagley
2. Valse—"Our Wedding Day" arr. ..... Theo. M. Tobani
3. a Humoreske—Op. 101, No. 7 ..... Ant. Dvorak
   b Melodie—"Un Peu d'Amour" ..... Lao Silesu
4. Overture—"Poet and Peasant" ..... Franz von Suppe

INTERMISSION

5. March Parisienne—"Sorella" ..... Ch. Borel Clerc
6. Minuet—"A l'Antique" ..... I. J. Paderewski
7. Trombone Solo ..... Selected
   M. Greenblatt.
8. Finale—"My Maryland" ..... W. S. Mygrant

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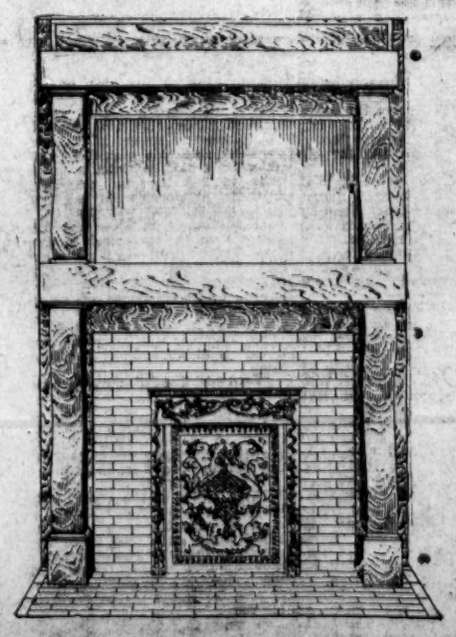

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Financial and Commercial

COTTON REGAINS STRENGTH

Business Active for Half Session.—Bullish Crop Accounts—Weather Reports from the Southwest Favorable.

New York, Aug. 23.—The cotton market more than recovered yesterday's loss during today's trading with October contracts making new high ground for the movement on less favorable weather news from the Southwest and bullish crop accounts. Business was very active for a half session at this time of the year and in addition to renewed covering, there was bull support as well as indications of rather a better trade demand. Closing prices were very steady, and within a point or two of the best at a net gain of from 20 to 23 points for the day.

Early weather advices included private reports indicating good rains at a few points in Texas and Oklahoma, but there was nothing on the official map to suggest anything like good general rains in the drouthy sections while the forecast was for clear weather in the Western belt today and tomorrow. Liverpool reported a quiet week-end market, but was probably influenced to some extent by the disappointing weather advices, as prices there were a shade better than due, and the local progress was 10 to 18 points higher.

Realizing by earlier week buyers caused some little irregularity right after the call, but the general tendency of prices was higher and active months sold 21 to 24 points above the closing figures of last night in the late trading. A report from a traveling expert claiming that Texas no longer had a chance of a big crop, and that the possibility of fair crop was diminishing with each day of continued dry weather, doubtless helped the advance while there was also a bullish weekly review from Memphis reporting deterioration in all States except the Carolinas. Weekly reports from the dry goods trade continued to indicate a good demand with comparatively small available supplies.

Spot cotton, steady. Middling uplands, 12.30; middling gulf, 12.55; sales, 80 bales.

Futures closed very steady.

Month:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Aug	11.83	11.96	11.83	11.95
Sept	11.77	11.77	11.77	11.77
Oct	11.55	11.71	11.55	11.71
Nov				11.04
Dec	11.52	11.45	11.52	11.65
Jan	11.50	11.55	11.43	11.55
Feb	11.42	11.45	11.42	11.58
Mar	11.58	11.63	11.52	11.63
May	11.60	11.64	11.54	11.66

THE FORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Firm, 12 1-16; net receipts, 17,269; gross receipts, 17,269; sales, 703; stock, 56,107; coastwise, 4,961.

New Orleans—Quiet, 12 1-16; net receipts, 294; gross receipts, 299; sales, 83; stock, 17,534; continent, 465.

Mobile—Steady, 11¾; net receipts, 27; gross receipts, 27; stock, 2,187.

Savannah—Steady, 11¾; net receipts, 1,211; gross receipts, 1,211; sales, 2,234; stock, 17,044; coastwise, 156.

Charleston—Nominal; net receipts, 63; gross receipts, 63; stock, 1,354; coastwise, 473.

Wilmington—Nominal; net receipts, 200; gross receipts, 200; stock, 4,772; coastwise, 1,200.

Norfolk—Firm, 11¾; net receipts, 219; gross receipts, 219; sales, 110; stock, 7,380; Great Britain, 116; coastwise, 364.

Baltimore—Nominal, 12.00; stock, 2,684.

New York—Steady, 12.30; net receipts, 2,719; gross receipts, 80; stock, 25,550; continent, 34; coastwise, 1,982.

Boston—Steady, 12.30; net receipts, 46; gross receipts, 146; stock, 4,669.

Philadelphia—Steady, 12.55; gross receipts, 100; stock, 1,906.

Texas City—Stock, 550.

Brunswick—Stock, 5,427.

Jacksonville—Stock, 380.

Aaransas Pass—Stock, 7,631.

Total today, at all ports—Net, 19,269; Great Britain, 116; continent, 465; stock, 154,910.

Consolidated, at all ports.—Net, 19,269; Great Britain, 116; continent, 465.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports—Net, 9,922,407; Great Britain, 3,311,448; France, 995,380; continent, 3,534,132; Japan, 384,251; Mexico, 17,142.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Steady, 12 1-16; net receipts, 17,278; gross receipts, 17,278; shipments, 16,572; sales, 3,093; stock, 32,578.

Augusta—Steady, 11¾; net receipts, 89; gross receipts, 89; shipments, 217; sales, 228; stock, 6,985.

Memphis—Steady, 12.00; net receipts, 5; gross receipts 164; shipments, 228; sales, 25; stock, 11,966.

St. Louis—Steady, 12.00; net receipts, 90; gross receipts, 342; shipments, 375; stock, 6,566.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 613; gross receipts, 613; shipments, 45; sales, 400; stock, 24,628.

Greenville, S. C.—Steady, 11.75.

Total today—Net receipts, 18,079; gross receipts, 18,490; shipments, 17,628; sales, 3,746; stock, 87,502.

COTTON REVIEW.

Advance of 45 to 52 Points Result of Week's Trading.

New Orleans, Aug. 23.—The net results of the week's trading in cotton were an advance of 45 to 52 points. The high prices were made on Saturday and the low prices on Monday. At the highest the trading months were 50 to 57 points over last week's close; at the lowest they were 13 to 17 points under. The range was 67 to 71 points.

The advancing tendency of the market was caused by continued dry weather in Texas and Oklahoma.

Toward the end of the week sensational reports of deterioration through heat and drouth came in and they more than offset the influence of the scattered showers that fell in the two States. Shorts covered throughout the week and considerable buying for long account made its appearance. Bulls continued to make claims of a record breaking consumption and the weekly statistics indicated continued large mill takings, the visible supply showing a decrease of 70,670 bales against a decrease this week last year of 28,177 bales and an increase this week two years ago of 49,540.

In the spot department prices closed unchanged, middling 12 11-16 against 12 11-16 last week and 11 11-16 this week last year. Sales on the spot amounted to 542 bales against 995 last week and 348 this week last year; sales to arrive amounted to 254 bales.

CONDITION OF BANKS.

New York, Aug. 23.—The statement of the actual condition of clearing house banks and trust companies for the week shows that they hold $22,173,150 reserve in excess of legal requirements. This is a decrease of $2,525,050 from last week.

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, Aug. 23.—Money on call, nominal; no loans. Time loans, weaker; sixty days, 3¾@4 per cent.; ninety days, 4½; six months, 5¼@5½.

Prime mercantile paper, 5¾@6¼ per cent.

Sterling exchange, easy, 4.83 for sixty day bills, 4.8630 for demand. Commercial bills, 4.82¾. Bar silver, 59½. Mexican dollars, 46. Government bonds, steady.

IN THE WORLD OF FINANCE

Stock Movements During Past Week Hesitating Because of Uncertainty in Financial Outlook and General Affairs.

New York, August 23.—There were elements of uncertainty in the outlook both for financial and general affairs which accounted for a hesitating movement of stocks this week. The doubtful factors had special force in view of the extent to which the recent rise in prices had predicted a clearing of the financial horizon. The strained relations between the United States and Mexico, the continued drouth in the Southwest, and the imminence of the interior crop moving demand for cash were the dominant influences on securities.

Stocks of corporations having direct interests in Mexico responded conspicuously to the varying news of the week. The Mexican position, however, had a far wider bearing than on these special stocks as shown by the sensitiveness of foreign stock markets to the news.

Foreign financial authorities report vague apprehensions of foreign defaults. The disturbing news from Mexico, Venezuela, and the Balkans had a direct interest to lending institutions in London and Paris, and had an influence on the renewal of sales from these sources in the New York market.

Reserves and bullion holdings of the Bank of England exceeded those for any August since 1896. The German Imperial Bank's gold holdings have risen to new record figures for many successive weeks. The Bank of France's holdings of gold now stand at a record for this season, except in 1909. The fact that it is having it is having its accumulation of bar gold coined into French money is cited as evidence of a determination to retain its holdings.

The New York Clearing house banks have been perusing a cautious policy about putting out new loans except for short periods. The placing of government funds with Southern and Western banks promise to relieve part of the expected demand on New York cash reserves. The engagement of gold in Argentina for shipment to New York marks the reopening o fa source of supply that has been closed to this market several years past.

Copper and Electric stocks responded to good trade news. The steel trade feels anxious over the question whether buying is to be stimulated by slight price concessions.

MARINE.

Arrived.

Schr. Phillip M. Brooks, 243 tons, Sanders, Jersey City, Mafflitt & Wood.

Cleared.

Brg. Linn, Albertson, Norfolk, Tidewater Gro. Co.

Str. Cherokee, 1,96 tons, Devereaux, New York, A. J. Becker.

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List of Vessels in Port at Wilmington, North Carolina.

Schooners.

Schr. Greenleaf Johnston, 332 tons, Longstreet, New York, Mafflitt & Wood.

Schr. Phillip M. Brooks, 243 tons, Sanders, Jersey City, Mafflitt & Wood.

Barges.

Brg. Monocacy, 981 tons, Primrose, Baltimore, Mafflitt & Wood.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, Aug. 23.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE — Steady, at 38 cents per gallon.

ROSIN—Steady, $3.60.

TAR—Firm, at $2.20 per barrel; in casks 10c. per gallon.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Firm, $2.00 per barrel for hard; $3.00 per barrel for dip, and $3.00 per barrel for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, 39; rosin, $6.10; tar, $2.10; crude turpentine, firm, at $3.25@4.75 to $4.75.

Receipts.

Spirits Turpentine	21
Rosin	28
Tar	34
Crude Turpentine	3

Receipts same day last year: Spirits turpentine, 9 casks; rosin, 44 barrels; tar, 2 barrels; crude turpentine, 47 barrels.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Spot cotton, nominal.

Receipts, 200. Same time last year, —

Total receipts, since September 1, 342,923 bales.

Total receipts, same time last year, 508,105 bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, Aug. 15.)

CORN—1.45 to 1.72½ per sack.

POTATOES—Irish potatoes, new crop, 75 to 80c per bu. Sweet potatoes, new, $1.50 bu.

PEAS—Out of season.

BEEF—Native, dressed, 8c.

PORK—Small, 9 to 12½c.

WOOL—Burry, 11c to 15c. per lb.; free of burs, 15c per lb.

HIDES—Green, 10c. per lb.; dry, 17c. per lb.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON—Hams, 20 to 21c. per lb.; sides and shoulders, 15c. per lb.

BEESWAX—Firm, 27@28c. per lb.

TALLOW—Firm, 4½@5c. per lb.

POULTRY — Chickens, good demand. Grown, 40 to 45c.; Spring chickens, 12½@35c. per head.

EGGS—22c.

SHEEP—Old sheep, 75c to $2.50 per head; very dull. Lambs, $1.00 to $3.00 per head.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Wilmington, N. C., Aug. 23.

Atlantic Coast Line—4 casks spirits turpentine; 1 barrel rosin; 2 barrels tar; 3 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Whitlock—17 casks spirits turpentine; 27 barrels rosin.

Str. Lyon—32 barrels tar.

Railroad—200 bales cotton.

Total—200 bales cotton; 21 casks spirits turpentine; 28 barrels rosin; 34 barrels tar; 3 barrels crude turpentine.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)

Wilmington, N. C., Aug. 21.

Market—Firm.

North Carolinas—Farmers' stock prime hand-picked, 85; machine-picked, 80.

Spanish—Prime hand-picked, $1.50; machine-picked, $1.40.

Virginias—Prime hand-picked, 85c.; machine-picked, 80c.

PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET.

(Reported by Rodgers, McCabe & Co.)

Petersburg, Va., July 25th. — Spanish—Farmers' Spanish, $1.65 per bushel; No. 1, Shelled Spanish, 10c. per lb.; No. 2, Shelled Spanish, 7½c. per lb.

Virginias—Farmers' stock, Jumbo, 4c. per lb.; Fancy Hand-Picked, 3¾c. to 4c. per lb.; Extra Prime, 3½c. to 3¾c. per lb.; Prime, 3½c. per lb.; Machine Picked, 3½c. to 3½c. per lb.; Shelling Stock, 3c. per lb.

DOWN THE RIVER tonight, 15c round trip. Str. Wilmington leaves 7:15 P. M. (advertisement.)

STOCKS REACH HIGH FIGURES

Trading on Small Scale, But Undertone Showed Pronounced Strength Movement Stimulated by Optimistic Advices.

New York, Aug. 23.—Stocks ruled at moderately higher figures during most of today's half session. Trading was on a small scale, but the undertone showed pronounced strength. Reading, Union Pacific and Steel moved forward together, followed by an array of less conspicuous stocks and advances were well held until just before the close when a quick reaction reduced gains. The movement was stimulated by optimistic advices regarding the Mexican situation.

The holiday in London deprived the market of a lead from that source. Canadian Pacific made a substantial advance on a small volume of business, and evidence of the small supply of these and other issues influenced bear covering. Some of the obscure issues moved more widely than the prominent stocks, rising two points or more and Virginia-Carolina Chemical held a substantial gain of more than 2 1-2 points.

Chesapeake & Ohio touched 60, making a gain of more than 3 points since its dividend rate was reduced from 6 to 4 per cent.

Changes shown in the bank statement were only nominal. The cash gain was less than $500,000 and there was an expansion in loans of about $9,000,000.

Bonds were steady. Total sales, par value, $445,000. United States 4s declined 1-4 and the Panama 3s coupon 1-2 on call on the week. Total sales were 81,600 shares, including C. & O. 1,700; Lehigh Valley 2,200; L. & N. 100; N. & W. 100; Southern Railway 600; Tennessee Copper 400; V. C. C. 1,600.

CLOSING STOCK LIST.

Amalgamated Copper	73¼
American Agricultural	44½
American Beet Sugar	25¾
American Can	33¼
American Can, pfd	93½
American Car and Foundry	45½
American Cotton Oil	45
American Ice Securities	21¾
American Linseed	9¼
American Locomotive	33¾
Amer. Smelting and Ref	67
Amer. Smelting and Ref., pfd	100
American Sugar Refining	100
American Tel and Tel	130
American Tobacco	230
Anaconda Mining Co	36¾
Atchison	95¾
Atchison, pfd	96
Atlantic Coast Line	121½
Baltimore and Ohio	96¾
Bethlehem Steel	34
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	88¾
Canadian Pacific	220
Central Leather	23¾
Chesapeake and Ohio	59¾
Chicago Great Western	13
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	106
Chicago and North Western	130
Colorado Fuel and Iron	31½
Consolidated Gas	130¾
Corn Products	11¾
Delaware and Hudson	159½
Denver and Rio Grande	24
Denver and Rio Grande, pfd	55
Distillers' Securities	13¾
Erie	28¾
Erie, 1st pfd	46¼
Erie, 2nd pfd	37
General Electric	144¼
Great Northern, pfd	126½
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	34¼
Illinois Central	107½
Interborough-Met	16¾
Interborough-Met., pfd	61¾
Inter Harvester	106½
Inter-Marine, pfd	16¾
International Paper	9¾
International Pump	7¾
Kansas City Southern	25¼
Laclede Gas	94
Lehigh Valley	154
Louisville and Nashville	134½
Minn., St. P. and Sault Ste Marie	139
Missouri, Kansas and Texas	22¾
Missouri Pacific	30¾
National Biscuit	126
National Lead	48
Nat. Rys. of Mexico, 2nd pfd	18¾
New York Central	98
New York, Ont. and Western	29¾
Norfolk and Western	100
North American	72
Northern Pacific	111¾
Pacific Mail	21½
Pennsylvania	112¾
People's Gas	113½
Pittsburg, C. C. and St. Louis	90
Pittsburg Coal	19½
Pressed Steel Car	24
Pullman Palace Car	153
Reading	161½
Republic Iron and Steel	23¾
Republic Iron and Steel, pfd	88
Rock Island Co	17¾
Rock Island Co., pfd	27½
St. Louis and San Fran., 2nd pfd	10
Seaboard Air Line	18½
Seaboard Air Line, pfd	45
Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron	29½
Southern Pacific	90½
Southern Railway	24¾
Southern Railway, pfd	79½
Tennessee Copper	31
Texas and Pacific	16
Union Pacific	153½
Union Pacific, pfd	83¼
United States Realty	67
United States Rubber	61
United States Steel	63¾
United States Steel, pfd	108
Utah Copper	50¾
Virginia-Carolina Chemical	27½
Wabash	4½
Wabash, pfd	12½
Western Maryland	40
Western Union	67
Westinghouse Electric	71¾
Wheeling and Lake Erie	5½

THE NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, Aug. 23.—Flour—Quiet.

Wheat—Steady. No. 2, red, 84¾; No. 1, Northern Duluth, 1.00.

Corn—Easy. Export, 82½, nominal.

Petroleum—Steady.

Wool—Steady.

Rice—Firm.

Molasses—Dull.

Sugar—Raw, firm; Muscovado, 3.23; centrifugal, 3.73; refined, steady.

Butter—Strong.

Cheese—Firm.

Coffee—Spot, steady; Rio, No. 7, 9¼; Santos, No. 4, 12@12½. Mild, dull. Cordova, 13@16, nominal.

Potatoes—Steady and unchanged.

Peanuts—Steady and unchanged.

Freights—Steady and unchanged.

Cabbages—Steady and unchanged.

Cotton Seed Oil—The market was steadier on covering, owing to firmness in the cotton market, and on smaller offerings of crude oil, closing net unchanged to 15 points higher. Prime crude, nominal; prime Summer yellow, spot, and August, 8.25; September, 8.30; October, 7.72; November, 6.80; December, 6.77; January, 6.76; February, 6.79; March, 6.84.

Prime Winter yellow, 9.50@11.00; prime Summer white, 900.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool, Aug. 23.—Spot cotton small business done, and unchanged; middling fair 7.32; good middling 6.94; middling 6.62; low middling 6.42; good ordinary 5.86; ordinary 5.52. Sales 4,000, including 2,560 American and 300 for speculation and export. Receipts 2,400, all American.

Futures closed steady. August 6.36; August and September 6.29 1-2; September and October 6.21 1-2; October and November 6.18; November and December 6.13; December and January 6.13; January and February 6.13 1-2; February and March 6.15; March and April 6.16; April and May 6.17; May and June 6.18; June and July 6.18; July and August 6.17.

THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.

August 24, 1913.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M., yesterday:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 77 degrees; at 8 P. M., 73 degrees; maximum, 80 degrees; minimum, 71 degrees; mean, 76 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .06; rainfall for the month to date, 2.68.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M., yesterday, 2.4 feet.

Weather Prediction.

For North Carolina—Fair in west; local showers in east portion Sunday. Monday, fair; moderate, variable winds.

The Port Calendar—Aug. 24.

Sun rises	5:40 A. M.
Sun sets	6:49 P. M.
Day's length	13 hrs, 9 min.

	Tides. High water. A.M.	P.M.	Low water. A.M.	P.M.
Wilmington	2:41	3:32	9:22	11:10
Southport	12:41	11:58	6:18	7:17
Masonboro Inlet	12:30	11:46	6:08	6:55

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.

August 23, 1913.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature: Highest today.	Lowest last night.	Precipitation, 8 P. M.
Abilene	clear	94	68	.0
Asheville	pt cldy	80	64	.0
Atlanta	pt cldy	84	68	.70
Augusta	pt cldy	80	72	.10
Birmingham	clear	88	68	.0
Boston	clear	84	68	.34
Charleston	cloudy	84	74	.0
Charlotte	pt cldy	76	68	.02
Chicago	clear	70	60	.0
Galveston		78		
Jacksonville	clear	90	72	.0
Memphis	clear	82	66	.0
Mobile	raining	92	72	.14
Montgomery	clear	90	70	.01
New Orleans	cloudy	90	76	.04
New York	clear	80	66	.24
Oklahoma	clear	90	64	.0
Palestine	clear	94	74	.0
Pittsburg	clear	70	58	.0
Raleigh	cloudy	74	68	.46
Savannah	cloudy	88	72	.0
Shreveport	clear	92	72	.0
St. Louis	clear	80	64	.0
Washington	pt cldy	84	66	.0

THE CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET.

Liquidation Causing Drop in Corn the Market Feature.

Chicago, Aug. 23.—Liquidation that in the final trading carried September corn down nearly two cents was the feature of the grain market today. At the close, corn prices were ¼ to 1⅞ net lower.

Wheat finished at a net decline of ¼@¼ to ¾. Oats were down ⅜ to ½, and provisions unchanged to 17½ lower.

Cash grain:

Wheat—No. 2, red, 89@89½; No. 2, hard, 88@90; No. 1, Northern, 92¼@93; No. 2, do., 91@92; No. 2, Spring, 91@92.

Corn—No. 2, 76@77; No. 2, white, 78½@77½; No. 2, yellow, 76@77.

Oats—No. 2, white, 42½@42¾; standard, 42¾@42½.

Wheat—September, 86⅝@87; December, 90¾; May, 95¼@95¾.

Corn—September, 72¾@72½; December, 68¼ to 68¼; May, 69⅝.

Oats—September, 41½; December, 44⅝; May, 47¼@47¾.

Pork—September, 20.95; January, 19.35.

Lard—September, 11.20; October, 11.27½; January, 10.82½.

Ribs — September, 11.42½; October, 11.22½; January, 10.22½@10.25.

THE NAVAL STORES MARKET.

New York, Aug. 23.—Turpentine, steady. Rosin—Firm.

Savannah, Aug. 23.—Turpentine, firm, 29¾@40; sales, 416; receipts, 392; shipments, 176; stocks, 38,941.

Rosin—Firm. Sales, 2,973; receipts, 2,751; shipments, 4,703; stocks, 171,619. Quote: A, B 3.75; C, D, 3.80; E, F, G, 3.85; H, 3.90; I, 4.00; K, 4.10; M, 4.40; N, 5.10; W G, 6.00; W W, 6.25.

THE DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, Aug. 23.—Cotton goods markets ruled steady, with the trend toward greater firmness in gray cloths. Jobbers report a fair week in staples and silks. Burlaps continue at top prices. The demand for Fall underwear and hosiery has been good this week.

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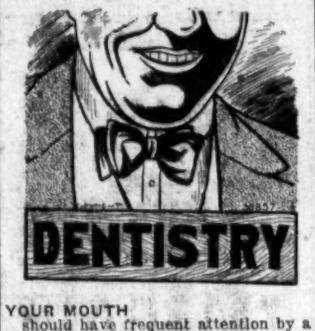

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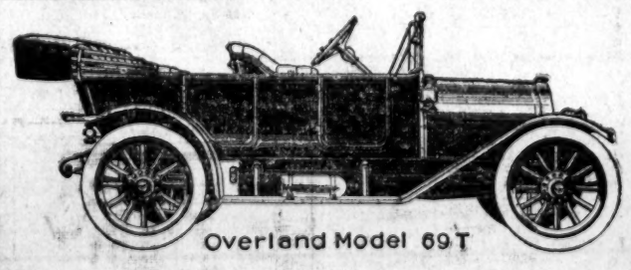
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AGREE ON CHANGES IN MONEY MEASURE

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provision of the bill follows:

"That Federal reserve bank notes issued by permission of the Federal reserve board, by Federal reserve banks are hereby authorized, the said notes shall be obligations of the Federal reserve banks and for all taxes, customs and other public duties.

"They shall be redeemed in gold on demand by the bank of issue.

"Any Federal reserve bank upon vote of its directors and within a limit prescribed by the Federal reserve board may issue such amount of the notes hereinafter provided for as it may deem best.

"Whenever any Federal reserve bank shall pay out Federal reserve bank notes issued by it as hereinafter provided, it shall segregate in its own vault and shall carry to a special reserve account on its books gold equal in amount to 40 per cent of the Federal reserve bank notes so paid out by it, such reserves to be used for the redemption of said Federal reserve bank notes.

"That full amount of such note issues by each of said banks shall at all times be covered by re-discount paper and purchase of foreign bills held by such banks under the provision of this act; however, nothing herein procided shall prevent an exchange of said Federal reserve bank notes for gold of equal amount of the issue of said Federal reserve bank notes for the purchase of a like amount of gold. Notes so paid out shall bear on their faces the name of the issuing bank.

"Whenever the gold reserve is 40 per cent or more, such notes may be issued without tax, whenever such reserve shall fall below 40 per cent and shall be between 37 1-2 per cent and 40 per cent, such deficiency of reserve shall bear a tax of interest at the rate of 1 1-2 per cent per annum, and for each 2 1-2 per cent or part thereof of further reduction of reserve an additional tax of interest at the rate of 1 1-2 per cent per annum on deficiency of reserve shall be paid into the treasury of the United States, and whenever and while such reserve shall be reduced to 33 1-3 per cent of such outstanding notes, no further issues of notes shall be made.

"Whenever Federal reserve bank notes issued by one Federal reserve bank shall be received by another Federal reserve bank they shall be returned for redemption to the Federal reserve bank by which they were originally issued and at its expense for transportation. No Federal reserve bank shall pay out notes issued by another under penalty of a tax of 10 per cent upon the face value of notes so paid out. The amout of such Federal reserve bank notes so issued by any such Federal reserve bank shall become a first and paramount lien on all the assets of any such Federal reserve bank."

Rapid Progress in Caucus.

Washington, Aug. 23.—The House Democratic caucus progressed so rapidly today with the administration currency bill that when adjournment until Monday was taken, 17 of the 51 pages had been disposed of, and there were predictions that three or four days more might prove sufficient to complete consideration of the bill. The Banking and Currency committee then will lose no time in reporting the bill to the House, where a week or fortnight of discussion may follow.

The caucus voted down, after a hard struggle, an amendment by Representative Murray, of Oklahoma, to increase the number of members of the Federal reserve board from seven to nine, the vote being 47 to 100. A proposition of Representative Harrison, of Mississippi to increase the annual dividend of shareholders in the Federal reserve banks from 5 to 6 per cent, also was rejected.

Chairman Glass, of the committee, agreed that a suggestion in the Murray proposal that not more than one member of the Federal reserve board be appointed from the same Federal reserve district would be covered in a committee amendment.

Representative Staley, of Kentucky, obtained adoption of an amendment making mandatory, instead of optional, that the Federal reserve board shall "under rules and regulations" permit an applying bank to become a stockholder in the Federal reserve bank of its district.

An amendment by Representative Collier, of Mississippi, was adopted to specifically require that directors of Federal reserve banks chosen by the Federal reserve board, shall be residents of the district in which the banks are located.

Better party harmony prevailed today. Some who opposed the interlocking directorates amendment yesterday voiced in the caucus today objections to being classed as "insurgents."

STRIKERS RIOT.

Disturbances Among Iron Moulders Break Out Afresh.

Erie, Pa., Aug. 23.—Rioting in connection with the strike of iron moulders broke out afresh tonight, and as a result a State policeman was wounded, three men are in the hospital, and a score of injured have been taken to their homes. The streets were crowded, and many people assembled near the labor temple, where the union men were discussing the question of ordering a general strike which would involve 8,000 men.

As the non-union workmen filed out of the plants, it is alleged they were met by union workers and foreigners. The Butler troops of the State constabulary, which were sent here to prevent rioting, responded to the riot call. It is said the commander's orderes to disperse were ignored, and that the troopers rode into the throng. The crowd resisted, and a number of persons were injured.

Capt. L. G. Adams, of the State constabularly late tonight, it is understood, wired to Harrisburg, and asked for more State police.

GRAND CIRCUIT RACES.

Favorites Capture All Stakes in the Day's Contests.

Salem, N. H., Aug. 23.—The track at Rockingham Park was heavy from last night's rains when racing began late today, the grand Circuit horses being compelled to race three lengths out from the pole. Sport was of the commonplace order, all the favorites winning easily. Derby Worthy, driven in clever style by Cox, won the $1 000 purse in the trot for foals of 1910, taking the race in two straight heast. Cox also piloted home another winner in the 6:19 trot, driving Baring under the wire first in straight heats, the best time being 2.23 1-2 for the first heat. The 2:24 pace was won by Natalie, the Kavak Mare, driven by Martin, in straight heats. Her best time was for the second heat, which she stepped in 2:14 1-2.

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POWERS FAVOR PLAN FOR PEACE IN MEXICO

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and ammunition are being smuggled across the line, consideration has been given in military circles to the dispatch of fresh troops.

The possibility that as a result of the steady northward movement of Federal troops in Mexico the numerous constitutionalist bands may be tempted dto cross into Texas and Arizona to escape capture ha salso been taken into consideration and though orders have been issued plans of the army have been fully developed to largely increase the maneuvre division under General Carter.

The augmented force would thus be in a position to deploy in strength aoing the Northern border of Mexico or in case of need could form the military unit o fa successful expeditionary force.

Owing to the considerable number of troops sent to Hawaii and the canal zone the detention of an army of about 12,000 men in the Phillipines, the total strength of the mobile army remaining in the continental United States, over and above the coast artillery force, which must be maintained in their posts, is only about 32,000 men. Of these 11,000 are now under General Carter in Texas and to bring the strength of his division up to possible requirements heavy drafts would be laid upon the eastern and Western departments, probably aggregating 14 000 men.

Contraband Money Seized.

Eagle Pass, Texas, Aug. 23.—The United States military authorities here today seized a quantity of paper money intended for the Constitutionalists in Mexico, and held it as contraband of war. The War Department has been notified and the currency will be held pending instructions from Washington.

The shipment is the first installment of $5,000,000 of paper money to be issued by the Constitutionalists. It was printed in the United States. The amount seized today is not stated. It was sent to the border by express. Federal officers in Texas had previously been notified of the intended shipment.

Trevino Returns to Monterey.

Mexico City, Aug. 23.—The return of Gen. Gronimo Trevino from the United States to his home at Monterey, and the announcement that he is coming at once to the capital, have given rise to the report that the administration is contemplating some concessions to the demands of the Washington government.

Gen. Trevino for some months has been in California, where he went after having been summoned to Mexico City last March, when it was rumored that Provisional President Huerta was planning to resign in his favor and take the field against the rebels.

The fact that he is making another hurried trip to the capital through a rebel infested country by a roundabout route is regarded here as significant. Gen. Trevino is one of the oldest Mexican generals and is esteem by the rebel leaders as well as by adherents of the administration.

Negotiations between the Mexican and American governments appear to quiescent. The embassy evidently is not expecting any developments of importance before the delivery of President Wilson's message on Tuesday.

Lind Optimistic.

Mr. Lind, the President's personal representative, still professes optimism regarding the ultimate success to some degree of his mission, although he is not very communicative on the subject.

A special meeting of the Huerta cabinet was held tonight. The meeting is said to have resulted in a determination to publish Monday the notes existing between Washington and Mexico.

COTTON GOODS REVIEW.

Sale in Gray Goods in Excess of the Output.

New York, Aug. 23.—Cotton goods markets were active in the gray goods division during the week and sales were in excess of the output. There was also some improvement in the demand for plain fine yarn goods. Brown and bleached domestics continue steady for nearby delivery. Prints are quiet. Ginghams are in moderate demand. Duck rules generally steady. Of fine and fancy cottons the tendency is to furnish enough business to keep mills running steadily. There are no accumulations of goods.

Percale prices for Spring are expected to be made in the first week in September. About 1,500 bales of standard drills were sold to India buyers for August and September shipment. West Indian trade has been better.

YESTERDAY IN CONGRESS.

Brief Summary of the Day's Proceedings in House and Senate.

Senate:

Met at 11 A. M. and continued tariff debate on wool schedule.

Bill to prevent interstate movement of campaign funds recommended for passage.

Passed $50,000 appropriation for government's participation in Knoxville Conservation convention.

Meeting of elections committee called for Wednesday night to consider seating of Henry D. Clayton as Senator from Alabama.

Adjourned at 6 P. M. until 11 A. M. Monday.

House.

No session. Meets Tuesday.

Currency caucus continued.

Lobby committee heard Martin M. Mulhall.

CRUISER DES MOINES.

Protector of American Citizens Now Steaming to Coro.

Caracas, Aug. 23.—The cruiser Des Moines, which is in Venezuelan waters to protect American lives, is steaming toward Coro, a town in the State at Falcon, recently recaptured by government troops. The warship left Porto Cabello yesterday.

The Venezuelan government announces that Gen. Jurado, the Federal commander, had captured the remaining Castro revolutionaries in the State of Falcon after a fight at Cumaribo. The official statement adds that the revolutionary bands in the State of Tachira have been driven across the frontier where they were captured by Colombian troops.

There still remain a number of revolutionary groups, however, at other localities in Venezuelan territory.

Summer resort hotels are said to lack patronage this summer. Perhaps because you can't spend as much money boarding as you can on an automobile trip.—Meriden (Conn.) Journal.

One young woman who disobeyed orders aboard ship was locked up and will have to stand trial. How different is seafaring from matrimony!—Chicago News.

TO BE HIGHEST YET.

Pan-American Association Planning Sky-Scraper 901 Feet in Height.

New York Aug. 23.—A sky-scraper whose topmost tower will rise 901 feet above the curb is planned by the Pan-American Sates Association. Unless plans miscarry, it will be built in this city(constructed wholly of materials from the Latin-American Republics, will wrest from the Woolworth building the distinction o fbeing the world's tallest habitable structure, and will be ready for occupancy with the opening of the Panama Pacific Exposition in California in 1915.

Such at least are the tentative plans of the promoters. Plans and specifications for the structure have been drafted, and will be given to a building committee of the association next Tuesda yfor review and acceptance. Francis H. Kimball, designer of notable downtown sky-scrapers made the plans. The estimated cost of the structure is $9,000,00. The site has not yet been selected. It is intended to erect the building as an enduring monument to Pan-American industry.

The Woolworth building now the tallest in the world, is 750 feet high, the Metropolitan its nearest rival 700 feet.

BRAVE CONFEDERATE GONE.

Capt. W. H. McLaurin of Scotland County Answers Last Roll Call.

Laurinburg, N. C., Aug. 23.—After an illness of four months, Capt. W. H. McLaurin, one of Scotland county's most prominent citizens, died at 12:20 o'clock this morning. Capt. McLaurin was 73 years of age and was one of the leading citizens of Eastern Carolina. He was a brave and daring officer in the Confederate army and on many occasions received the highest praise from his superiors for gallant service and in 1898 was recognized as one of the most ardent "red shirts" in the county and fought for white supremacy in the State as perhaps none other did. He so distinguished himself at the battle at Spottsylvania Court House that a Federal colonel said of him "he is one of the bravest men in Lee's army."

The burial will take place Sunday afternoon at the city cemetery at 3 P. M. The burial will be with Masonic honors, he having been a Mason of high degree and a leader in Masonry in this section of the State.

SENATE TO HEAR ARGUMENTS.

As to Representative Clayton's Right to a Seat in the Senate.

Washington, August 23.—The Senate elections committee today decided ea meet next Wednesday evening to hear arguments on the right of Representative Clayton to a seat in the Senate as a result of his recent appointment by Governor O'Neal of Alabama, previous to the legislature appointment by Governor O'Neal of Alabama previous to the legislature providing the machinery for the direct election of United States Senators under the new 17th amendment.

Business Locals

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BICYCLE STOLEN—Queen City Roadster, No. 920, taken from Bijou last night. Reward, if returned to 109 North 8th street. au24-1t*

CONCRETE BLOCK garages. Fireproof, built at reasonable prices. Save storage and have your car always at hand. 'Phone 1162-J. Herring-Short Concrete Co. au24-1t

WANTED—Two furnished rooms for a couple with small child, in private family. Centrally located. Address "A. B. C.," Box 215, City. au24-1t*

LINEMAN WANTED—Lineman wanted by an electric light and water company, located in a small town in Central South Carolina. Applicant must be proficient in his work, of good character and habits, and be willing to locate permanently while engaged on this work; married man preferred. Reply, statin age, experience and other qualifications, with references. Salary, $70.00 per month to start. "Lineman," care Star. au24-1t*

TO RENT—Two nicely furnished rooms, steel screened. Hot and cold bath, electric lights; 'phone 1778; 209 South Second street. Suitable for gentlemen. au24-1t*

ROOM AND BOARD — One gentleman can get room and board at 309 N. Front street. Breakfast 8 o'clock; dinner, 1; supper, 6:30. 'Phone 719-W. au24-1t

FOR RENT—Attractive, new and modern two-family residence, in very desirable neighborhood. For further information, apply to M. Cronly, or telephone Wrightsville 18-W. au24-1t*

LADIES desiring dressmaking and family sewing, can call at Mrs. Robt. Critzeberg, 718 South Front street. Good work guaranteed at reasonable prices. au24-1t

THREE NICE LOTS on South Fifth street, 33x75 feet; $550.00 each. Nice lots on which to build cottage homes. See Wilder & Metts, Agents. au24-1t

FOR RENT—Four room apartments with all conveniences, including janitor service, sewerage, water and lights. One of these cost you from $16.00 to $22.50. Call 162. Wilder & Metts, Agents. au24-1t

FOR RENT—A limited number of desirable offices in the Southern Building. Possession given to some offices on Sept. 1st. W. A. Dick, Agent, Room 404; 'Phone 240. au24-tf

FOR RENT — A furnished room on Wrightsville Beach, with all modern conveniences. Apply to Box 375, City. au24-2t

FOR RENT—House corner of Third and Church streets, opposite Cape Fear Apartment. Apply to 218 North Third street, between Chestnut and Grace. au24-2t*

CASTLE STREET property in business district can be bought at a low figure. Small amount cash needed. James & James, Insurance and Real Estate; 'phone 103. au24-1t

$100 IN CASH, balance on easy terms, buys a small dwelling in good renting section. The rents will very nearly pay for this property in a few years. 'Phone 103. James & James, Insurance and Real Estate, Orton Hotel Bldg. au24-1t

FOR SALE—One five-passenger car in good order; $300.00 takes it. 'Phone 964, or address "Automobile," care Star. au24-1t*

SALESMEN—Do you want $10 a day side or main line retail and punch board deal? Ten propositions. American Factories Co., St. Louis. au24-1t*

LOTS, LOTS, LOTS.—At Audubon, Winter Park Gardens, Edgewood, Idlewild, Carolina Heights, Manhattan, Winoca Terrace, Carolina Place, The Bronx, South Fourth street, Garden City, Sunset Park, Seabreeze Park, Carolina Beach, and last but not least, Fort Fisher Seaside Resort. Get our prices before buying. Watson & Applewhite, 210 Princess st.; 'phone 65. au24-1t

WILL SELL CHEAP for cash, a nice pony, surry, farm cart and harness. Apply to C. S. Lewis, Winter Park, Wilmington, N. C. 'Phone 960-4. au24-1t*

MANUFACTURER selling direct to retailers wants traveling man to carry side line blankets, flannels, dress goods, novelties, direct from the looms. Liberal commission. The Lakewood Mills, Box 414, Philadelphia, Pa. au24-1t

MANUFACTURER desires placing valuable agency, perpetual repeater, income earner, business builder, easy, no competition, protected territory guaranteed. Automatic Perfection Co., 17 West 42nd, New York. au24-1t*

SALESMAN — For general mercantile trade in North Carolina. To sell a new proposition of merit. Vacancy Sept. 1st. Attractive commission contract. $35 weekly for expenses. Miles F. Bixler Co., Wholesale Jewelers, 19834 Carlin Building, Cleveland, Ohio. au24-1t*

NORTHERN Buyers want Southern farms; direct dealing with owners; no commission. What have you to sell? Write Southern Homeseekers' Bureau, Box 1454, Atlanta, Ga. au24-1t*

FOR SALE—Desirable nine-room house, Fifth between Nun and Church street, can be bought at attractive figures; bound to increase in value. Telephone 332 and will show you. L. W. Moore, Real Estate, 123 Princess street. au24-1t

FOR RENT—422 South Fourth street; seven rooms, modern; thoroughly overhauled; possession about 28th. Telephone 332. L. W. Moore, Real Estate, 123 Princess street. au24-1t

FOR RENT—Store and eight-room residence combined: Seventh and Harnett, $25. Store and residence combined, Eighth and Harnett, $20. Store, Tenth and Castle, $10. Store, 11th and Dock streets, $12.50. Five room cottage, 1218 Castle street; $11 per month. Telephone 332. L. W. Moore, Real Estate. au24-1t

FOR SALE—A special bargain in Carolina Place; also Carolina Heights building lot. Sure money maker. Telephone 332, and will show this good proposition. L. W. Moore, Real Estate. au24-1t

$400 CASH, $1,200 in Building and Loan Association buys a 11¼ per cent. investment or nice home in Brooklyn. Let us show you. L. W. Moore, Real Estate. Telephone 332. au24-1t

FOR SALE—One combined store and dwelling, with lot 71x115, located one block from car line, and one E. M. F. automobile, in good condition, all for $2,500.00. Building should rent for $20.00 per month. $1,500 is all the cash required. Can arrange loan for balance. Address "Immediate Sale," P. O. Box 744, Wilmington, N. C. au24-1t

FOR RENT—On choice street, to desirable tenants only, a suite of large, attractive rooms; private bath, gas, electricity; fresh air, trees and flowers. Would appeal to invalid. Address "Home," care Star. au24-1t*

SALESMAN—Experienced in any line, to sell general trade in North Carolina. Unexcelled specialty proposition. Commission contract; $35 weekly for expenses. Vacancy Sept. 1st. Continental Jewelry Co., 29734 Continental Bldg., Cleveland, Ohio. au24-1t*

ONLY NEWSPAPER and job office in county seat town of 2,500; doing good business; bright future; good proposition for two energetic men. "Newspaper," care Star. au24-1t*

WANTED—A few hours of book work to do during the day. Double or single entry. Address "M," P. O. Box 573, City. au24,27-2t*

LOWER FLOOR for rent. Until October 1st, or longer. Furniture, electric lights, gas stove, kitchen utensils, dishes, ect. Paved street, within half block of car line. Call 510 Ann street, 3 to 4 o'clock this afternoon. au24-1t*

HAVE A GRANOLITHIC sidewalk laid or a concrete fence in front of your house. Adds beauty and increases value of your property. We are specialists. 'Phone 1162-J. Herring-Short Concrete Co. au24-1t

FOR SALE—12 law books; very thing for students or anyone desiring to study law. Will sacrifice at a bargain. Address "B-6," care Star. au24-1t*

BARGAIN SALE—One violin, one cornet, one guitar, one Bellfront alto; one slide alto, one string bass, one goat and harness. 'Phone 404-J. J. A. Fettel, 307 N. Sixth street. au24-1t*

A HOME FOR SALE—7 large rooms, lot 33x165, located on Sixth street, between Princess and Grace. For a quick sale, will figure very low. Watson & Applewhite, 210 Princess st. au24-1t

ON WRIGHTSVILLE Turnpike, one block from 17th street, we have an 8-room house, brand new and modern; large lot. Can sell at a moderate price. Watson & Applewhite, 210 Princess st. au24-1t

AN ELEGANT HOME on Fifth street; 7 large rooms, modern. Terms, $500.00 cash, balance to suit purchaser. See Watson & Applewhite, 210 Princess st. au24-1t

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WANTED—Two or three furnished rooms, suitable for light housekeeping, by gentleman and wife. State price and location. Box 294, City. au24-1t*

WANTED—A competent physician, preferably one with experience in rural sanitation, as a whole time health officer in Columbus county. State salary, experience, etc., with application. Appointment to be made by County Board of Health on the first Monday in September. Apply F. T. Wooten, Sec. Board of Health, Chadbourn, N. C. au24-1t

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WANTED — Millwright, a hustler. No others need apply. Address Box 706, City. au24-1t*

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(Signed) A. L. MURRAY, M. D.,
Supt. Health, Washington, D. C.

As one of the persons present when the above demonstration was conducted, I take pleasure in substantiating the information contained therein.

(Signed) C. H. POPENOE, Insect Investigator,
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Notice---Delinquents!

The County Auditor, as is required by law, has furnished to the Board of Commissioners a list of all persons residing in New Hanover County who have not listed their poll and personal property taxes.

I am directed by the Board of Commissioners of New Hanover County to notify all such persons that unless they list their taxes on or before SEPTEMBER 1st, 1913, THAT THEIR NAMES WILL BE TURNED OVER TO THE GRAND JURY of the Superior Court that meets in this County on September 8th, 1913, for indictment, and in addition thereto their names will be put upon the tax books as delinquents and a double tax charged against them.

The law makes it a misdemeanor for a person to fail to list his poll and personal property taxes.

The Tax Listers will be at the Court House each day from 9 o'clock A. M. till 1:30 P. M., and from 3 o'clock P. M. to 5 P. M., for the purpose of taking lists.

This August 18th, 1913.

By order of the Board of Commissioners of New Hanover County.

WILLIAM A. WILLIAMS,
Clerk.

au24-1t

BITS OF HISTORY

RICHARD III AND HENRY VII

At the Battle of Bosworth Field, August 22, 1485, Richard II was slain and the Earl of Richmond, who had long been impatient for the Crown, was crowned on the battlefield and became Henry VII.

Richard had worn his brilliant crown into battle and had become a shining mark for his foes which cost him his life.

People often parade their jewels or their money and in this way become shining marks for their enemies. Display of wealth by excessive jewel wearing and the exhibition of money is vulgar and dangerous. Well bred persons accumulate wealth quietly and later enjoy it unostentatiously. Are you accumulating?

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WILL STUDY TUBERCULOSIS

World Conference to be Held in Berlin Next October—Gen. Wood to Attend Grand Maneuvers. Involve 70,000.

Berlin, Aug. 23.—Recent progress in the world-wide fight against tuberculosis will be clearly set forth at the 11th International Anti-Tuberculosis conference, to be held this year in Berlin from October 22nd to 26th. One evidence will be the attendance. Twenty-eight States will be represented by delegates, and although no "cure" for tuberculosis can be reported, encouraging progress will be recorded toward the control of the disease by natural restorative means, food and fresh air, and by modern methods of sanitation, disinfection and isolation.

Dr. F. F. Freidmann has not applied for a place on the programme, and, according to one member of the committee of arrangements, none would have been given him had he done so, the German experts being more than ever sceptical and insistent on the submission of the Friedmann serum to the conventional tests before taking the doctor's pretentions seriously. The American visitors to the conference will, however, have opportunity to see the patients on whom Dr. Friedmann based his original claims of success, 18 months to two years after treatment was begun, and to judge how his claims have been borne out by time.

United States Leading.

Aside from the social and business sessions, the programme shows reports and discussions under the general topics of "Tuberculosis and Mankind." "The Surgical Treatment of Tuberculosis," "The Role Played by Life Insurance in the Struggle Against Tuberculosis," "Professional Schools for Children Predisposed to Consumption," and an afternoon devoted to miscellaneous topics. American delegates are expected to contribute largely to the programme, the United States being admittedly in the lead in many respects in the successful handling tuberculosis problems. In Europe, although the Scandinavian countries, particularly Sweden, have scored the greatest results in combatting the white plague, Germany is considered to show the highest degree of organization.

The delegates will find that Germany has made substantial progress, since the first of these conferences in 1902, in reducing the terrors of consumption. From the reports of 348 cities of more than 15,000 population each, it appears that the yearly death rate from tuberculosis was reduced from 26.26 per 10,000 population in 1905 to 17.30 in 1911. For the whole kingdom of Prussia the rate for 1912 was only 14.49. The reduction has been particularly rapid in hospitals and homes for consumptives, having dropped within 16 years from 31 to 12. In penitentiaries and jails, formerly regarded as breeding centers for tuberculosis diseases, the mortality is now only about one-sixteenth of what it was some 15 years ago.

The Grand Maneuvers.

Major Gen. Leonard Wood, who will attend this year's Grand or "Kaiser" maneuvers in Silesia, September 5 to 10, at the personal invitation of Emperor William, will find himself in eminent and august company, the Emperor's other guests including Gen. Pollio, chief of the general staff of the Italian army; Gen. Ramon Ruiz, chief of the general staff of the army of the Argentine Republic; the King of Saxony; Prince Rupprecht, of Bavaria, head of the Bavarian army; Prince Friedrich Wilhelm of Prussia, and a long list of distinguished German generals headed by Field Marshal von der Goltz and Count von Haeseler. Even "military women" will be represented, the Emperor having invited his sister, the hereditary princess of Saxe-Meiningen, in her capacity as chief of the Second Silesian Grenadiers, to take part in the campaign on the native soil of her regiment.

Involve 70,000 Men.

The Kaiser maneuvers are held between two army corps, and involve about 70,000 men. The Emperor always attends in person, for these are the most important army exercises of the year. Theyare, however, preceded by smaller maneuvers in which the demands upon the men and officers are fully as great. Probably, indeed, these preliminary maneuvers are a harder test than the Kaiser maneuvers, since they start with the men not yet conditioned to the hardships of strenuous campaigning.

For the private soldier the Summer and Autumn maneuvers mean hard work, long marches on hot days, the fording of rivers, bridge building, and every actual hardship that a real campaign can bring except wounds. But the private is in some ways to be envied, when compared to officers of the rank of major and upward. The latter, it is true, have no 50-pound pack, or rifle to carry, and they are on horseback, but an officer gives every command with the consciousness that sharp-eyed observers are watching him and that an error may and probably will end his military career. Every commissioned officer under normal conditions eventually becomes a major as a matter of course; whether he goes higher depends upon the yearly maneuvers.

The officer's test begins when the brigade divides for maneuvers. Each major is likely to be entrusted with the command of his side for a day, and a brigadier general and force of umpires observe him. The division maneuvers bring more opportunities for the colonels, and the corps maneuvers furnish the final test.

Manifold are the pitfalls awaiting the commander of any unit. He may become excited in the heat of the sham battle and fail to keep well behind his men, as a commanding officer should do. Presently an orderly from the general staff observers approaches him. "Colonel," he announces, "you and your orderlies and staff have been killed. You will please withdraw."

Held to High Degree of Perfection.

The commanding officers are held strictly to a high degree of perfection. Not only are mistakes counted against them, but any officer who, uneasy at the close scrutiny to which he is subjected becomes nervous and excited, is lost. There is no room for the nervous and excitable officer in high places in the German army. Errors in the disposition of his forces may on occasion be overlooked, but the general staff, which represents the Emperor, demands that men entrusted with command over others shall have no nerves.

Occasionally the maneuvers cost a life or two. Col. Bode, for instance, commander of the 59th regiment of infantry, dropped dead recently during field exercises, and from time to time soldiers succumb to the severe tests, although strict as is the German army discipline, the bodily welfare of the men is most carefully looked after.

The chief mortality attendant upon the Autumn maneuvers is to commissions. When all is over, the reports of the critics come to the Emperor's private military cabinet, of which Gen. Baron von Lyncker is the head. The reports are carefully considered, and later a number of unfortunates receive a letter from the cabinet in a blue envelope. There is no need to open it. The colonel, for instance, knows that the communication inside means that further promotion is never to be his.

INSPECTION OF SCHOOLS.

Remarkable Results of Two Months' Campaign in Virginia.

New York, Aug. 23.—The feasibility of, as well as the necessity for, complete medical inspection of rural schools has been effectually demonstrated in a survey of all the schools in one county recently conducted by the State board of health of Virginia. An average county was selected, and in less than two months time every child in attendance in 50 schools was carefully examined. The negro schools and school children were as thoroughly inspected as the white.

The physical characteristics of the school buildings and surroundings were first noted, such as air space, light space, heating and ventilating facilities, equipment as to sanitation and water supply, then the children were lined up, their height and weight were first taken, then their eyes, ears, nose, throat, glands, skin, heart and lungs were carefully examined. All previous diseases from which they had suffered were also noted. A specially interesting point was the preliminary step then taken at every school looking toward the detailed examination of every child for intestinal parasites.

A tabulation of all the facts gathered in this survey is now being made, and a report will be submitted to the International Congress on School Hygiene which meets in Buffalo, August 25-30. Dr. Roy K. Flannagan, director of inspections for the Virginia State board of health, who conducted this investigation, will discuss the methods employed, and Dr. Allen W. Freeman, assistant commissioner of health of Virginia and director of the Rockefeller hookworm campaign in the State, will discuss other phases of facts developed.

Such a complete medical survey as this has never hitherto, so far as known, been attempted in this country, and the results should prove exceptionally interesting.

VARIED USES OF EGGS.

Good for Many Other Things Besides Cooking Them.

(Journal of Agriculture.)

We know that eggs are almost indispensable for cooking, but they are just as valuable for other things as well.

A mustard plaster made with the white of eggs will not blister the tenderest skin.

The fragile white skin that lines the shell of an egg is a fine application for a boil.

The white of an egg beaten with loaf sugar and lemon juice relieves a cough and hoarseness. A tablespoonful every hour is the dose.

If a fish bone lodges in the throat beyond the reach of the fingers, a raw egg swallowed (without being beaten) will in most instances carry the bone along.

A good remedy for stomach and bowel trouble is a raw egg taken every six hours. The eggs should be partly beaten, though not to froth.

A little white of an egg, spread over a scald or burn will prevent the air from getting to it and hastens the healing.

For preserving jelly in glasses, paper should be cut to fit at the top and smeared with the raw white of eggs, the egg side down.

A little white of egg curdled with a bit of powdered alumn will stop a sty, if used as soon as the sty appears. Be careful not to get the mixture inside the eye; it will do no injury, but it stings and is unpleasant.

"WRITING AT LENGTH."

People Quit Reading When They Face an Interminable Article.

(Lumberton Robesonian.)

If the activities of Colonel S. A. Jones, he of South Atlantic Transcontinental railroad fame, result in nothing else, they have resulted in some timely remarks by the Charlotte Chronicle and The Wilmington Star, in regard to writing "at length." As all North Carolina newspaper readers know, Col. Jones never wrote in his life except "at length"—and, as The Chronicle observes, that what's the matter with Mr. Jones. Whenever the colonel wants to submit some remarks about his pet plan he always wants from three to eight columns of newspaper space, so naturally everybody quits reading before the colonel really gets down to his knitting. Using Col. Jones' well-known sad weakness along this line as a text, The Chronicle says:

"Friend, if you have anything to tell the busy public, condense it, boil it down, and after you have gotten it as short as you can get it, just cut it in twain, and most of the readers of the newspapers will read it."

An The Star concludes some remarks with the following:

"Be brief; and if you can't be brief, talk to yourself. It will be just as effective."

Baltimore, Aug. 22.—It is announced here that Miss Eleanor Carrick, daughter of Charles J. Carrick, of Baltimore, and Dr. Francis R. Crawford, of Virginia, will be married in October and sail immediately afterwards for China to takeup missionary work.

Cheristinol, Norway, Aug. 22.—A dispatch from Malmoe today reports that a Swedish gunboat was spnk in collision with a battleship off Haven Island.

Twenty-two States, including Hawaii, now employ State foresters.

FINE CROPS IN ROBESON

Farmers Busy Gathering Fodder—School Opens September 9th With Many New Teachers—Lumberton Notes.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Lumberton, N. C., Aug. 23.—During the week your correspondent has taken several trips to the country in different directions, and in all sections found the farmers busy gathering fodder, the crop being abundant, and with another week of good weather it will be gathered.

Cotton crops are found to be great, the weed being unusually fine, but the farmers differ in their opinion as to fruiting, some claiming that, according to the size of the weed there should be many more bolls, while others say there will be a good average crop. Not being a farmer all we can tell about the weed is that it is fine as we have ever seen. Some farmers report cotton opening, but we haven't seen any.

The Fall session of the Lumberton graded school will open Tuesday, September 9th. Supt. R. W. Sentelle returned from his Summer home at Waynesville, where he and his family have been for some time. After getting everything in shape for the opening, he will go and bring his family. They will occupy the McLean residence, formerly occupied by Mr. L. R. Varser and family. Of the faculty last session only three members will be on duty this year. They are the Misses Rowland, of Lumberton, and Miss Fannie Knight, of Raleigh. New teachers will be Misses May Henderson, of Davidson; Iris Cashwell, of Lumberton; Corinne Doles, Elm City; Mamie Highsmith, Fayetteville; Edith Pepkin, Reidsville; Ruby Johnson, Delway; music teachers: Miss Ethel Williams, Lumberton, and Miss Mayce B Glasgow, of Knoxville, Tenn. Miss Williams taught in the music department last season. Prof. Sentelle says that he has never had a better corps of teachers.

Two things make it difficult to get teachers to come here—the salaries are not what they should be, and teachers find so much trouble getting homes. These are the main reasons for frequent changes of teachers, but it is not their fault.

After serving four years faithfully, Mr. Eli Wishart tonight severed his connection with the McMillan drug store, where for a long time he has been a great favorite with the many patrons. He will enter school at Oak Ridge in the Fall. Besides him the Messrs. James Cowan, Guy Townsend and Brocton Branch expect to go to Oak Ridge, also.

Two business men were talking in our presence one night this week when one of them made the statement that he handled 100 bags of Wilmington meal each week, and both agreed that it was superior to any Virginia water ground meal that could be bought. That was good news to us, for we really and truly like to see our merchants buy their goods in Wilmington.

One Saturday night nearly 20 years ago we went into an oyster saloon in Wilmington just as a gentleman finished eating a dozen New River bivalves on the half shell. He got off his seat and believed he could eat that many more. Dr. Walter Kingsbury heard the remark and told the man he would pay for another dozen and all he could eat over a dozen, provided he pay for what he ate if he gave out before the dozen was devoured. The gentleman took him up, and resumed his place at the lunch counter. Oysters of that kind sold in those days at 30 cents a dozen, 13 to the dozen. That man ate oysters until Dr. Kingsbury had to pay a bill of 90 cents for him. All this came to mind one night this week when a Lumberton young man is said to have gotten outside of 17 ice cream cones in 30 minutes.

The case of John Carver, the white man carried from here to Fayetteville a few days ago charged with attempted assault on his brother's child, has been compromised, we hear. In settling, Carver is said to have agreed to leave the State. It is the opinion of some that if this man is guilty of the charge against him, it is not right to let such a character off.

An officer arrived here from Tampa, Fla., the first of the week, to carry back to that State J. H. Hance, who was arrested in the lower part of the county on request of Florida officials. Hance intimated that upon his return he might marry the girl.

Miss Nannie McQueen, who resides with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Chaffin, in North Lumberton, sent us one day this week one of the largest sunflowers we have ever seen, measuring 23 inches across. The flowers ornament a yard, but the sparrows get all the seed before anyone else has a chance.

We are reliably informed that it is expected that before long another young lady will come to Lumberton to reside. She will come as the bride of one of Lumberton's young men. That she will receive a most cordial and sincere welcome is assured, for she is well known here.

Miss Edna Prevatt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Prevatt, left this week for Union Springs, in the western part of the State, where she will teach. Miss Prevatt is a graduate of Meredith College.

Wright Fulmore, colored, said to have been 85 years old, died at his home west of town Saturday night. The funeral of Wright, and of William Jones, who died suddenly on the street Saturday afternoon, were both conducted from Sandy Grove church Tuesday afternoon. In the death of these two old slaves Lumberton lost two of its very best colored men.

Rev. C. H. Durham, pastor of the First Baptist church, left Tuesday for a trip to the Pacific coast. He will visit many cities and places of interest during the six months he will be away.

The elegant new residence of Mr. Thos. L. Johnson on North Elm street, has been completed and now Contractor Jones, who built it, has his force busy erecting a new home for Capt. J. P. Russell, at the intersection of 10th and Walnut streets on Elizabeth road.

During the absence of Chief Redfern, who went to Wilmington a carry a couple of prisoners one day this week, some one seems to have broken up a yellow jacket's nest and as a result several of the boys became very sick. Recorder McLean gave a matinee next day and quite a bit of costs was contributed.

Mr. R. McA. Nixon, of the First National Bank, left this week on a few days' vacation, which he is spending in Wilmington and vicinity. Mr. Bennie Harris, piano player at the Pastime Theatre, has been spending a week with his parents in Wilmington. He will return tomorrow or Monday.

A party of hunters who left town before day Thursday, had sport sure enough. Three miles south the dogs struck a trail of a fox and after running him over ten hours, caught him and the hunters got him unharmed. The fox jumped in a ditch near where two or three of the party were standing and the jumped on him. He is now enjoying himself in a cage. He is about three-fourths grown.

We have been contending the past three or four years that if the ladies chose to do so, they could run the price of cotton up. The articles appearing in The Star simply corroborate our contention. Wilmington is not the only place where more cotton goods could be used to advantage.

One of the most interesting visitors who has been to Lumberton recently is Mrs. Ross Pitman of Fairmont, who is visiting relatives in town. Mrs. Pitman is over 85 years old and is one of the most remarkable women we have ever met. Her mind is as clear as it ever was and she can tell what happened here 75 years ago just as well as if it had been yesterday. She does not use eye glasses but uses a magnifying glass for reading and takes as much interest in the events of the day as anybody. Mrs. Pitman is stopping with her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Amanda Pitman, and is being visited by many friends who have known her all their lives. This is her first visit to Lumberton in several years and she seems to be enjoying herself immensely.

One day this week we heard some gentleman discussing the tax question, tax listing, etc., when one of them in a position to know said that he knew one farmer who listed 50 bushels of corn, and some time after listing he had told him he had sold 250 bushels and thought he would sell another hundred.

Messrs. S. F. Caldwell and W. G. Pitman who have been sight seeing in the old counties for several weeks sailed for home Thursday and are expected to reach here Friday or Saturday of next week.

One morning last week and again yesterday morning there was no newsboy on the train from Wilmington and people who depend on him for early news had to go without.

Mrs. R. E. Lewis and her mother, Mrs. McArthur are visiting relatives at Dublin, Va.

There was quite a marriage at the Lumberton hotel last night at 8 o'clock when Mr. Alex. Stroud and Miss Lizzie Davis, both of South Carolina were married by JusticeA. P. Caldwell.

Presiding Elder A. McCullen of the Rockingham district will preach at the Lumberton Methodist church tomorrow evening at the usual hour.

Some very fine peaches found their way into Lumberton this week and are retailing at 25 cents per dozen. They were not grown in this section.

A drawing of the 'Lumbee Hotel' which Dr. A.W. McPhail proposes to erect near the Seaboard station in the near future, is on display in a show window of the Pope Drug Co., and is causing many passers by to pause and express the hope that they may live to see the day when Lumberton will have an up-to-date hotel which Dr. McPhail says he will surely build.

That the compulsory school law is to be enforced in Lumberton there seems to be no doubt. A truant officer will be on the job his first duty being to take a census of the graded school district and then to see that every child of school age attends if physically able to do so. School boys who smoke cigarettes will also be given attention. The law will apply to both races.

A good many of our people are preparing for Winter by putting in supplies of coal. The wood dealers have forced people to use coal by charging exorbitant prices for wood.

A large crowd of shoppers arrived on the early train this morning from points down the Seaboard as far as Rosindale. They can spend three hours here and return by noon.

Messrs. Lawrence Parker, Ed Pope and David Fuller have returned from Atlantic City Mr. George McLeod spent several days with the party there but returned two or three day ago.

Mr. Albert Boylin who has held a position for some time with the V. & C. S., will give up his position the first of the month to take a position in the local express office. With the approach of the Fall additional help has been put on at the express office.

AGILE YOUNG THIEF.

Diminutive Negro Snatches Lady's Purse and Disappears.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Kinston, N. C., Aug. 23.—A diminutive negro, said to have been Richard Brown, about 12 years of age, walked into the front door of the ladies' department at the store of Barrett & Hartsfield, the largest dry goods establishment in the city, this morning and snatched the purse of Miss Agnes Webb, a well known young woman.

There was only between $5 and $6 in the purse. Miss Webb was sitting at a counter, busy with a pattern book, when the boy approached her and grabbed the pocketbook. He was gone like a flash, and by the time she had recovered from her surprise, notified a clerk and started out of the door, the little darkie was turning a corner. He was lost to sight until a boy who claimed to have identified him, stated that the purse snatcher was making for a county bridge over Neuse river a mile from town. That point was telephoned to by the police, but Brown doubled and escaped in the southern outskirts. A suspect was arrested but proved not to be the boy sought.

Two Russian aviators have been added to the death roll. And still others rush to fill up the gaps in this perilous work of subduing the air.—Baltimore American.

Lobby investigation and tariff revision have played the sandwich act in Congress all Summer.—Memphis Commercial Appeal.

More than half of the population of Cuba is found in the rural districts.

EUGENICS--THE NEW UTOPIA

Old-Fashioned Ideas About the New Hysteria—Agitation Over Eugenics Not New—Sir Common Sense.

(By "An Old-Fashioned Fellow".)

I have a great respect for science, but sometimes it seems to a dull, old-fashioned fellow like me that science has no respect for itself. We are accustomed to think of these scientific delvers after truth as cold-blooded alchemists, without sympathy or impulse, who weigh dispassionately to the uttermost scruple every atom of evidence before they arrive at a conclusion; as logicians who follow remorsely to the end whether it be bitter or sweet, the immutable trail of law. But if we are to judge them by some of the present day theorists and exponents the poetic and imaginative quality has taken control of things and has thrown it into old Sir Common Sense, who used to drive the scientific wagon.

Imagination and Idealism are fine things even in science, but My Lady Hysteria is a bad person to hold the reins on a road which requires skill and accuracy in the driver, and which is not to be regarded merely as the highway to the City of Hurrah.

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These old-fashioned and, of course, absurd remarks are inspired by the present craze of what is called eugenics, or race culture and improvement. This is a craze age in many respects, and every crazy notion that comes along the highway of thought is at once surrounded by thousands of worshippers and crowned among the gods of our idolatry. The greater the faker and the more preposterous his fake, the louder we shout and the more we glorify him and it. The great discovery which we are making with respect to eugenics is a natural part of the general condition of hysteria. Having discovered that it is entirely feasible to make all persons in esse absolutely virtuous, God-fearing and honest by rule of the legislative thumb, to put Satan and all the temptation of the flesh behind us by legal enactment, by a mere "Be it ordained," by a simple fiat of "Let there be light and purity," it follows as a matter of course that we can create future generations at our sweet will and pleasure, that we can make them to order as a tailor makes a coat, or as a shoemaker makes a shoe. It is a lovely and an inspiring discovery, something which makes a scientific poet fairly rave with delight as he prophesies great things and draws entrancing pictures of the future. By the side of it Columbus' discovery of America was a prosaic achievement. He opened up only a new material world. Your eugenicers promise you, if not a new heaven and a new earth, at least a new world of men and women, the sons and daughters of their scientific divinity, free from the pains and aches of former humanity, noble in mind and body, gigantic in virtue and morality.

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With all due respect to Lady Hysteria, permit an old-fashioned fellow to say very courteously but very emphatically to her as she whizzes past him down the road—bosh, my dear madam, Bosh! The world has dreamed of all this kind of dreams many times before, and will doubtless dream them again from time to time as it goes circling in the old path around the sun. The fountain of perpetual youth the transmutation of base metals into gold, Arcadias and Utopias without number—it has discovered all these and many other impossible things many a time in its dreams. But that they are impossible is a matter of no consequence to Lady Hysteria. She was born to set everything right with a word, to say presto change to facts and have them shape themselves according to her desires. No true enthusiast will doubt that it will all turn out just as she indicates. Only a benightedly old-fashioned person would entertain any doubt of it.

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These scurrilous and defamatory remarks are suggested by the Pennsylvania and Wisconsin laws on eugenics which have recently been paraded in triumph in these columns. Now, old-fashioned as I am, I am not going to say that there should not be some safeguard—some legal safeguard, if you please— against at least one class of disease from which women and future generations should be protected—a disease not formerly mentioned in polite society, but which Lady Hysteria delights as rolling as a sweet morsel under her tongue in public.—Baltimore Sun.

WHY HE GOES TO CHURCH.

Congressman Tells Secret of His Attendance on Service.

I go to church because I find peace there, that peace which De Quincy described as a resting from human labors, a Sabbath repose, a respite granted from the secret burdens of the heart, as if I stood at a distance and aloof from the uproar of life, as if the tumult and fever and strife were suspended, as if there brooded over me a dovelike and halcyon calm.

I go to church because I love the music that I hear there, the mighty roll of the great organ, mingled with the marvelous symphonies of that divine stringed instrument, the human voice, untwisting all the chains that tie the hidden soul of harmony.

I go to church because I delight to hear the teachings of the preacher, whose soul is dedicated to God, whose field is as wide as God's universe, whose words are the oracles of fate. Marvelous is the speech of the preacher to whom God has given genius and consecration, and the power of illustration drawn from the old, sacred, immortal book, and from the miracles of nature, no less revealed in the crimson-tipped flower turned up by the plowshare of Robert Burns upon the soil of Ayr, than in the long reaches of the star girt skies.—Claude Weaver, Congressman from Oklahoma, in Leslie's.

MARRIED ELEVEN TIMES.

Have Had Ceremony Performed in Various Countries Visited.

Hagerstown, Md., Aug. 2".—To be married to each other eleven times since 1909 has been the novel experience of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Vernon, who are at Bradford Heights. The marriage ceremonies have been performed in as many different countries.

Asked why he and his wife had been married so often, Vernon said it was a sort of hobby with them and they took the step as a precaution because in some foreign countries marriages performed in others are not recognized.

He and his wife were first married in Columbus, O., in 1909; then in Montreal in 1910, in England, Scotland, Wales, France, Germany, Belgium and Russia in 1911; in Sydney, Australia, in 1912, and in Vera Cruz, Mexico, in 1913. They hold marriage certificates of all these weddings and the display is unique.

In some of the countries where they were married, they did not understand a word the officiating clergyman was saying, but simply nodded their heads when they thought the time had come to make the responses.

They speak French and German.

DOUBLE TRAGEDY.

Man Fatally Shoots Wife, Then Turns Weapon on Self.

Leaksville, N. C., Aug. 22.—Sam Harris, of this place, fatally shot his wife twice in the breast with a shot gun this morning about 10:30 o'clock, and then reloading the weapon, shot himself through the head.

Harris has been suffering with pellagra for some time, and the general opinion is that the disease had affected his mind.

A 115-foot lookout tower on the Sitgreaves National forest, Arizona, just constructed by forest officers, was built entirely of logs and without the use of hoisting machinery other than ropes and tackle blocks.

WIRELESS EAVESDROPPERS

New York City Filled With Operators Who Grab All Sorts of Secrets from the Air—Manufactures.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

New York, Aug. 23.—A recent investigation has brought to light the fact that New York City harbors a larger number of wireless eavesdroppers than any other place in the world. Five thousand are in operation now and the craze is so epidemic that the increase averages half a dozen every night.

On the roofs of houses, hotels, garages and stores everywhere rise the primitive aerials. Down below in his little room sits the amateur with his ear phone clamped to his head drinking the news, conveyed surely and swiftly to him through the wireless signals. These wireless outfits cost on the average about $50, but for even less these wireless eavesdroppers can pluck from the skies secrets of State, finance and commerce and often fervent messages of love and affection. The amateur wireless craze is distributed over all sorts and conditions of people. The humblest as well as the wealthiest class are keenly interested. University men, mechanics, clerks, doctors, lawyers and clergymen are experimenting. In Harlem a wireless lovers' club is reported. Half a dozen couples have installed wireless apparatus and the Harlem atmosphere is surcharged with wages of devotion and affection half an hour after parting time every night. Stories are told of a number of wave tangles that mixed up sweethearts who were tuned up wrong for the interchange of mutual confidences. Laws have been passed which were intended to curb the activities of these amateur wireless enthusiasts, but in spite of them student and experimenter continues to "butt in." Records show that he increases and multiplies between every rising and setting of the sun and his interloping keeps pace with the increase. Amateur wireless operators put up a strong defense against the accusation of being eavesdroppers. They claim that they have frequently been the first to hear signals of distress from ships. They also assert that by their experiments many devices have been added to wireless patents.

World's Largest Producer.

New York's position as the world's largest producer of manufactures is pretty generally eclipsed by the importance popularly attached to Wall Street and the Stock Exchange, to the "Great White Way" and its attractions, to Tammany Hall, and to such other features which, though distinguishing, may be classed as incidental to the city's real growth and greatness. It may be hard to realize, but is none the less true, that there are in operation within the city's limits as many as 30,000 factories, employing, in round figures, 650,000 operatives and 110,000 office workers, on pay rolls aggregating over $700,000,000 per annum. These factories annually produce goods to the value of over $2,600,000,000, of which approximately $1,400,000,000 is paid for materials, leaving about $1,200,000,000 as the value added by manufacture or the wealth actually produced by 760,000 workers. In other words, New York City makes more merchandise than does any State in the Union; in fact, its total production is at least five-sixths as large as the aggregate of the six New England States, which section is popularly supposed to lead all others in manufactures. Says a New England manufacturer who is moving his large works to New York: "I thought such a large business as mine would attract some attention, but I find that it is so small compared with the manufacturing done in New York City that it will not attract the least bit of notice; it will be only a small drop in a very large bucket." The largest industry in New York is

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New Ladies' Coat Suits

COATS AND DRESSES FOR FALL WEAR.

Also New Fall Dresses in Silk, Poplin and Serges, for Ladies, Juniors and Misses.

Misses' New Fall School Dresses, in All-Wool Serges, from **$6.98 and up.**

If you need a new garment for Fall wear, at the Mountains or School,

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can furnish you the best qualities and latest styles 25% less than you can secure the same garment elsewhere.

Big shipment of La Grecque and La Reine Corsets just received; also big supply of "Venus Bust Forms."

THIS WEEK SPECIALS:

Table Covers of $5.00 value; this week $2.98
Embroidered Pillow Cases and Towels 25c
Center Pieces and Bureau Scarfs to match 50c
3,000 yards of Fancy Striped Madras in short bolts, from 5 to 15 yeards, each .. 10c
(These are Factory Remnants, of Regular 15c value.)

When you buy a Trunk, Suit Case or Grip from us, you save part o fthe price on your railroad ticket.

Extraordinary Bargains in all Summer goods are now being had at

The Big Store on N. Front St.

REPORT ON INLAND WATERWAY

General Bixby's Recommendations Relative to Canals North of Norfolk—Would Spend Twenty Millions on Work.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Washington, D. C., Aug. 23.—A great deal of interest has centered in the recent report of General Bixby, chief of engineers, on the Inland Waterway, and North Carolinians of the coastal section are especially interested in it. Following is the report in full:

"A first and partial report upon this waterway, including maps and estimate of cost, was forwarded by me on January 2, 1912 (printed in House Document No. 391, 62nd Congress, 2nd session), in which recommendations were made; in favor of an immediate improvement of the section from Beaufort, N. C., to Norfolk, Va.; in favor of the immediate purchase of the existing canal between Chesapeake Bay and Delaware river and its early enlargement to about 12 feet depth and appropriate width, leaving to a subsequent report (the present), the question of further deepening; a postponement to a subsequent report (the present), of the question of what should be done between Delaware river and New York harbor; a postponement to a subsequent report (submitted August 7, 1913, and now before Congress), of the through route between New York bay and Fishers Island; and unfavorably and against, under present physical and commercial conditions, any construction by the Federal government of any inland route between Fishers Island and Boston, Mass., other than what had already been authorized by past river and harbor acts.

"This present and final report is therefore confined to the unfinished matters under headings and as stated above, as to which the special board has submitted a special report dated February 14th, 1912, duly considered and reviewed by the board of engineers for rivers and harbors in its report of July 23, 1912. After due consideration of these two additional reports in connection with the original reports, this office submits its own comments and recommendations as follows:

"Regarding the further improvement of the already recommended waterway between Chesapeake bay and Delaware bay, the chief of engineers concurs with both the special board and board of engineers for rivers and harbors in the opinion that it is advisable for the United States to buy the Chesapeake and Delaware canal at a cost to the United States not exceeding $2,514,290, and to then enlarge it to a sea-level canal of 12 feet depth and 90 feet bottom width, with the least interference practicable to existing traffic, following in general the methods indicated by the special board, at a cost which, including the first year's maintenance, amounts in round numbers to $8,000,000, of which $3,000,000 should be made available by the first appropriation, and economical work will then requre subsequent appropriations of from $500,000 to $1,000,000 per year.

"The chief of engineers concurs with the board of engineers for rivers and harbors in the view that further deepening to 25 feet of the Chesapeake and Delaware canal at an extra cost of $4,500,000 should await further observation as to the commercial changes resulting from the first increase in canal depth and especially the release from canal tolls.

"Moreover, the chief of engineers is of the opinion that the general public benefit will be that due to the increase of commerce by use of barges in tows and of medium draft boats; and that the added benefits accruing from heavy draft boats will be mainly local and consequently should await co-operation by the local States or those most directly benefitted. As the work to be done is progressive, and as under present Federals laws the engineer department can always receive and expend local funds for such purpose; it will always be possible to increase the project depth above 12 feet up to 25 feet as fast as local co-operation furnishes the funds.

"Regarding the proposed waterway from Delaware river to New York bay, the chief of engineers concurs with the special board in its view that some day a 25-foot sea-level canal will be advisable across the State of New Jersey from New York bay to the Delaware river; also that it is very undesirable to have any new canal built at the present time between these points unless it is so located as to be susceptible to development into a deep-draft, sea-level canal; but the chief of engineers concurs at the same time with the board of engineers for rivers and harbors in the view that a less depth than 25 feet will take reasonable care of present demands of commerce, especially in consideration of the reports of the special board showing that the majority of the increased tonnage will be that of barges of from 1,000 to 2,000 tons; and after having considered the estimates of the special board for a lock canal of 12 feet depth and of 25 feet depth and a sea-canal of the same dimensions along the selected line, the chief of engineers is of the opinion that the general public will be benefited by a lock canal of 12 feet depth and 90 feet bottom width, sufficiently to justify construction at public expense, provided that the State of New Jersey or other local parties will promptly secure and donate to the United States, free of cost, all rights of way necessary for a 125-foot bottom width, 25-foot depth sea-level canal along the same route and will assume the cost of all water power damage connected therewith, and provided that the 12-foot depth canal construction work be carried on in general accord with the plans and estimates of the special board along its selected route in such way as to allow of a later development of a 25-foot depth canal, whenever such development is found advisable.

"The special board has based its lock canal estimates upon locks at 45 feet width, but it indicates that harbor dredges may require a 50-foot width. It would seem desirable to make the width sufficient to allow if practicable of passage of such dredges and of other craft of about this width likely to demand passage frequently; and this will add slightly to cost of construction. If the lock canal is ever to be deepened to 25 feet, it would be advantageous to so arrange its foundations, sills and floors, as to allof of such deepening without serious extra cost or serious interference with traffic; and this will add also somewhat to cost of construction. Making an allowance for these items, and stating the special board's estimates in round numbers, its estimates will stand as follows:

"Lock canal, 12-foot depth, cost $20,000,000; annual operation $610,000.

Lock canal, 25 foot depth, cost $30,000,000; annual operation $720,000.

Sea level canal, 12 foot depth, cost $35,000,000; annual operation $270,000.

Sea level canal, 25 foot depth, cost $45,000,000; annual operation $320,000.

"The chief of engineers believes that if a right of way can be immediately secured along a route, such as that in question, comparatively level, comparatively short, comparatively straight, comparatively free from railroad and other troublesome crossings, and therefore susceptible to a future advantageous development for boats of any draft, the $20,000,000 project is worth being started immediately at Federal expense. It is believed that the State of New Jersey can easily co-operate immediately on this basis, it and adjoining States can decide how much more extensively they desire to co-operate. Until traffic becomes congested the lock canal with 12 feet depth can easily carry all immediately prospective commerce; it being borne in mind that the cost of towage of six barges of 10-foot draft in a single tow, is usually much less than that of a single boat of 20 foot draft, and that the time of passage of a 10-foot draft boat through the entire length of lock canal is estimated at not more than nine hours, while the estimated for a 20-foot draft boat through sea level canal is not less than three hours, so that the loss of time by use of the lighter draft and lockage cannot be more than six hours per trip, and will be much less than six hours per day per round trip.

"Moreover, the saving of 3 per cent interest on the $25,000,000 difference of first cost between the 12-foot depth lock canal and the 25-foot sea level canal will be more than the total operating charges of the lesser canal. As soon as traffic increases to such extent that the lock canal (originally built with a view to enlargement), becomes congested, it will be possible to enlarge it to 125 feet bottom width for an increased barge traffic at a cost of only about $3,000,000 and to then deepen it to 25 feet over 90 feet bottom width for deep draft boats, at a further extra cost of about $7,000,000; and should the traffic further increase to such extent that the saving in time of boat passage or in cost of summit level pumpage will warrant the extra expense, then the canal can be cut down to sea level with a bottom width of from 90 to 125 feet and 25-foot depth at a further cost of from $15,000,000 to $20,000,000. In both cases it is possible that the increased traffic above that of a 12-foot depth lock canal will not be of much benefit to the general public, but will be local between adjoining States, and therefore, a proper subject for co-operative payment by the States most interested. As matters now stand, the chief of engineers believes that the first $20,000,000 represents duly the National interest in this work, and that the rest of the expenditures for enlarged dimensions and reduction to sea level will be found to be a local matter, whose execution or omission will be of small interest to the rest of the country. In the opinion of the chief of engineers it will be greatly to the benefit of the State of New Jersey to contribute $3,000,000 for the widening of the 12-foot depth lock canal to full 125-foot bottom width, and for the State of Pennsylvania to contribute $7,000,000 to the securing of a 25-foot depth over 90-foot width through this same lock canal, and for this contribution to be made as soon as the United States agrees to contribute $20,000,000 for 12-foot depth, 90-foot width lock canal. As the work to be done is progressive, and as under present Federal laws the engineer department can always receive and expend local funds for such purposes, it will always be possible to increase the project depth above 12 feet up to 25 feet as fast as local cooperation furnishes the funds.

"The chief of engineers therefore reports as to this stretch of the intercoastal waterway that in his opinion it is advisable for the general government to undertake the early construction of a lock canal, with 12-foot depth and 90-foot bottom width in earth sections and about 50-foot width in locks, from the Delaware river to New York bay along the line and in general in accord with the methods outlined by the reports of the special board modified where necessary so as to provide for economical future enlargement of canal to 25-foot depth and 125-foot bottom width and for future reduction to sea level, at a total cost of $20,000,000, provided that no construction work shall be commenced until after the State of New Jersey or other local parties shall have furnished to the United States, free of cost, a release from all water power damages and a right of way such as in each case is considered by the Secretary of War as necessary for a 25-foot depth canal of 125-foot bottom width along the same line. For economical prosecution of work the amount above named should be made available by a first appropriation of $100,000 followed by appropriations of $500,000 or more per year with a view to completion of construction work in eight years from commencement of the same."

P. R. A.

... The Stroller ...

Professor Blair's Dream and the New Station.

The Stroller smoked an extra pipe last night. Never mind about the brand of tobacco, it was a good sort. As the smoke rose in the air he was reminded of locomotives, and locomotives reminded him of the fact that Wilmington has been presented with a new station, and suddenly the thought was drawn out of the pipe-stem that there was a certain connection between this new station and Professor Blair's dream. This is the way the matter nicotines itself out:

This station is one of which we may all feel justly proud. It has been given to us not only because we needed it, but because it was thought we deserved it and would appreciate it. If we are to appreciate it, we ought to show our appreciation, and it was right at this point that The Stroller fell asleep and dreamed a continuation of Professor Blair's dream that Wilmington had become a Model City. His dream was thusly:

A few days ago he visited the old station to ask for information of that railroad encyclopedia who sees that you do not take the wrong train. You all know him, that good-natured fellow who never gets mad, no matter how foolish a question you may ask him. Upon reaching the station, The Stroller found a large crowd of people, chiefly of Ethiopian extraction, who apparently had nothing particular on their minds and who were using the station as a common cuspidor. Some kind ladies of Caucasian origin and nicely dressed, were considerate enough of the railroad company to wipe up part of the negro expectorations by sweeping their dresses through it.

Suddenly the scene changed, and The Stroller found himself in the new station. Everything was neat and clean. Nobody was spitting on the floor. A lady could walk to the platform and ask of the genial station master what time the 6:75 train was due, or whether the train labeled for Florence made klose connection at Rocky Mount with the express for Southport, and there was no danger of soiling her dress with tobacco juice flavored with microbes of diphtheria or tuberculosis. The people had shown their appreciation of the new station by co-operating with the railroad officials to keep the place clean, so that strangers coming to Wilmington would receive as one of their first impressions one of those lessons Pedagogue Blair wanted them to learn.

O, what an improvement! just as The Stroller was exclaiming Blear's dream had come true, his pipe fell, the bowl hit his dog in the eye, there was a howl and The Stroller awoke.

The dream made such an impression on The Stroller that he hurried to the station to ask some foolish question and seeing signs posted to the effect that one must pay one dollar for the privilege of spitting on the floor, he asked the railroad encyclopedia how many dollars had been collected. The genial station master, with perfect equanimity, and with his usual smile, replied:

"The courts turn all these fines over to the company to help pay for the new station, and the station is now nearly paid for—but not from money collected from the fines."

The Stroller has not quite made out the exact meaning of this answer. Possibly some one will help him out between the lines. Did the genial railroad encyclopedia mean to say: "Well, of all the fool questions thus far asked of me, this is the limit?" Or did he mean that those signs were put there for the artistic effect, or for just a big American bluff?

Light burning of underbrush to remove forest litter had been practiced in India, with the idea that it improves conditions for teak growing. Now after long investigations forest officials there say that the fires are harmful, that full fire protection must be extended everywhere, and that to be really effective this protection must be continuous.

In an experimental test track near Janesville, Wis., an inspection just made showed that hemlock and tamarack ties put in the track without preservative treatment were decayed after five and one-half years service. Those which had been treated were practicaly as good as when first laid.

Forest officers on the Fayette National forest are using a compressed air drill in road work on the forest. There is considerable rock work to do and the drill saves time and money in cutting grades on mountain roads.

WIRELESS EAVESDROPPERS

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the manufacture of clothing, in which alone are engaged more than 7,000 factories and approximately 190,000 wage earners; the total value of products amount to $650,000,000, of which $350,000,000 covers feminine apparel, leaving only $300,000,000 for mere man.

Thefts of Jewelry.

The recent thefts from prominent New Yorkers summering at fashionable resorts of more than $200,000 worth of jewels has brought to light the fact that many of the famous necklaces and tiaras are most infrequently worn, their places being taken by duplicates made of imitation stones. The apparent ease with which these treasures are stolen, in many cases never to be recovered, warrants wonder that the practice of wearing duplicates instead of the originals is not more prevalent, especially at Summering places where the owners are naturally more carefree and frolicsome and not so well provided with safes and strong boxes as at home. Concerns so engaged are now duplicating precious stones so faithfully that only experts may distinguish between the real and the sham, and often the copies are said to outshine the originals. As a matter of fact, many women of large wealth, who own famous jewels, make no secret of the fact that their most prized gems are seldom taken from the safe deposit vaults, though nevertheless they are on accasions large and small admired by proxy—as it were; and not infrequently does the imitation itself cost a small fortune.

Monte Carlo Ruler Coming.

That these United States are about to enjoy for the very first time in all their history the honor of a visit from a real reigning European sovereign is promised (or threatened) by the proposed landing here in the near future of Albert I, sovereign Prince of Monaco and overlord of the world famed and world fed gambling resort, Monte Carlo. Hitherto we have had to content ourselves so far as ruling royalty is conterned, with the privilege of welcoming the late Emperor Dom Pedro of Brazil in 1876, and some years later Kalakaua, the dusky king of the Sandwich Islands. It was during the life and reign of Queen Victoria that King Edward VII, then the Prince of Wales, made his memorable visit. Another report, most interesting in this connection, is that King George and Queen Mary are contemplating a trip to Washington and New York before returning home from their tour of Canada next year. Already in official and social circles discussion has begun as to the honors due these distinguished guests-to-be and the etiquette that will befit the occasions, there being no precedent whatever for guidance. It is safe to assume, however, that his exalted rank will insure Albert I, of Monaco against too critical examination by the immigration authorities as to his gambling connections and the summary deportation that might otherwise befall him.

"Little Church Around the Corner"

Few churches are so widely known by name as New York's "Little Church Around the Corner," yet possibly not one in 10,000 of those familiar with the name have seen it or would recognize as the same the now spacious and beautiful Church of the Transfiguration, in East 29th street. The origin of its odd name is recalled to oldtimers among actor-folk by the death a few days ago of Bishop William Tubnell Sabine, late of the Reformed Episcopal church, but in those days rector of the fashionable Church of the Atonement at Madison avenue and 28th street. In September, 1870, Geo. Holland, a well known actor of his time, died here, and the late Joseph Jefferson, in behalf of the son, E. M. Holland, called upon Dr. Sabine to conduct the funeral services. The Doctor declined because of Mr. Holland's profession and suggested that Mr. Jefferson try a little church around the corner. "Thank God," replied Jefferson, "for 'The Little Church Around the Corner'." Dr. George Hendric Houghton, who had founded the church, welcomed Mr. Jefferson and the funeral services were held there. The story spread among theatrical circles and the fame of the "Little Church Around the Corner" became worldwide. It has been the church of theatrical folk who have been married there, had their children christened there, and been buried from there.

William H. Lee, supposed for years to have bee na white man, during which time he amassed a fortune of $200,000 in the publishing business, turns out to have been a negro and a negress has appeared who claims to have been his wife, and has laid claim to his fortune, in Chicago.

The government steamer Henry Bosse turned turtle in a storm on the Mississippi Tuesday and the crew of 14, trapped in the cabin, were drowned like rats.

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THE WEEK'S NEWS REVIEWED IN BRIEF

Glimpses of the World at Large, Little News Stories of the Carolinas, and a Resume of Local Doings, Prepared for the Busy Man and the Week-End Reader.

Of General Interest

The powers of Europe will allow Turkey to retain Adrianople.

The earth barrier between Pacific tidewater and the Miraflores locks on the Panama canal will be blown up shortly, this being another important step toward the completion of the canal.

The powers of Europe will force Turkey to respect the treaty of London with the Balkan allies. The sultan's troops have been overrunning the country taken from Turkey by the Balkan people.

A fire in Jersey City Wednesday destroyed three blocks, causing a loss of $750,000. More than 40 dwellings and factories were wiped out, 400 people made homeless and many thrown out of employment.

More than 25 passengers and seamen were drowned Sunday morning when the steamer State of California struck an uncharted rock in Cambler bay, 90 miles south of Juneau Alaska and sank in there minutes.

Henry Sternweis, a farmer, killed his wife and three children, set fire to his house and jumped in the flames, near Dubuque, Ia. He was worth $100,000. Of late he had not lived happily with his wife.

Hans Bauder, a Swiss, was one of 16 men deported from this country last week for various reasons. Bauder's reason was that he had swindled his fellow Swiss in this country out of $600,000 in selling worthless mining stocks.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis H. Aiken, of Springfield, Mass., celebrated their first wedding anniversary Tuesday. Nothing remarkable about that, only he weighs 130 pounds and she weighs 630, or a quarter of a ton more than he does.

The Democrats put through their sugar schedule of the tariff Tuesday when they voted down all amendments and supported the proposition of the President that sugar be admitted free by 1916. The two Louisiana Senators voted with the Republicans.

Secretary of the Navy Daniels has made an order that the sailors who participated in the riots at Seattle while he was there in July, be punished; but the navy officials reply that it is impossible to discover any individual sailor who was guilty.

The estate of William Bayard Cutting, New York lawyer, financier and railroad director, amounts to $10,900,000. Of this his widow will get over nine millions, other members of the family receiving gifts and Fisk University, in Nashville, Tenn., gets $1,000.

George H. Bixby, millionaire, in addition to having been indicted for having contributed to the delinquencies of three girls in Los Angeles, Cal., is now being sued for $50,000 each, by the girls, who allege he committed "high crimes and misdemeanors" against them.

A dynamite bomb of sufficient power to have wrecked the city hall in New York was found near Mayor Gaynor's window Thursday. The fuse had gone out, but was burned close to the cap. Mayor Gaynor exhibited no excitement when informed of it, taking the news calmly.

A car load of dynamite, jarred by a box car being shifted in the suburbs of Mexico City, exploded and blew the landscape away. More than 100 people were killed and wounded. Adobe houses crumbled into dust and buried women and children. They thought Zapata had come to town.

Lieut. Gov. Glynn ,of New York, has been declared the acting Governor by the attorney general since the impeachment of Governor Sulzer, but Governor Sulzer won't give in and there has been a complication of affairs for a week. The trial of the Governor comes off within a few days.

Mrs. Edna Perkins Godbee, divorced wife of W. S. Godbee, of Millen, Ga., shot an instantly killed her former husband and his second wife, bride of a few weeks, at the postoffice in Millen last Monday. She then wenthome where she was later arretsed. She declared her self satisfied with her job and had no regrets.

William Fair, a negro, charged with assault on the wife of a farmer near Spartanburg, was jailed at Spartanburg and Monday night a mob stormed the jail. The sheriff and one deputy stood them off with pistol shots until the mob got to firing back, and in doing this they shot three of their own number. The negro was hurried to Columbia.

Responding to the call of their Governor, 50,000 citizens of Missouri turned out Wednesday and Thursday and worked on the roads all over the State. Enthusiasm ran high and much good was done. The Governor himself went out and handled a shovel. "Lifting Missouri out of the mud" is what they called it. Good roads days are being set aside in other States.

Maury I. Diggs, charged with violation of the white slave act, in that he went from California to Nevada with a girl and lived with her as man and wife, he being married, was found guilty by the government at San Francisco, and faces a maximum sentence of 20 years. His companion, Drew Caminetti, is now being tried, he having taken another girl at the same time.

A New Orleans dispatch says that the steamship companies will put into effect the first of the month a new rule about how cotton shall be baled, which will save waste and put American cotton on the same plane with cotton from other countries where it is better baled. The new bale will be a neat package entirely surrounded by burlap and not a ragged, half-covered bulk.

The escape of Harry K. Thaw from Matteawan asylum in New York State last Sunday, startled the country and since then the papers have teemed with Thaw stories, some going back to the first and bringing it all up to date again. Thaw was captured at Coaticook, Quebec, Canada, and imprisoned. New York State has been clamoring for his return and much litigation is in prospect.

Brief News Stories of The Carolinas

Honea Path, S. C., has raised $1,000 for the Anderson-Toxaway highway.

The Chatham county wheat crop is said to be the best in 50 years. Corn and cotton are better than usual.

The Planters' Oil Company, to make cotton seed oil, has been formed at Blacksburg, S. C., with $10,000 capital.

Crop conditions in Pender county are reported as very fine except cotton, which is not so good because of a poor stand.

In July a total of nearly 10 million ponds of tobacco was sold in South Carolina, bringing nearly one and a quarter million dollars.

The Supreme Court convenes Monday for the Fall term. Only an average class, in number, of young lawyers will appear for license.

The Troy Knitting Company has been chartered by the State, to do a knitting business at Troy, Montgomery county, capital paid in $25,000.

Wilkes county's wild blackberry crop has given a good account of itself this year. Dealers have handled 965,000 tons of berries, put up by farmers' wives, and paid therefor $66,000.

Claude Blackwell, who killed Dr. Fred Misenheimer in Charlotte months agao, and who applied to the Governor for a pardon, must serve the two years' sentence imposed upon him.

Capt. N. B. Alexander, a prominent Fayetteville man, died last week. Edward Hale Hall, another Fayetteville man who went to Texas many years ago, also died during the week, at San Antonio.

Carl Taylor, of Mount Croghan, S. C., was killed at Newton, N. C. Wednesday when he crossed the tracks of the Carolina & Northwestern railroad in an automobile, on his way home from Blowing Rock.

C. H. Emery, a well known farmer of Wake county, whipped his wife with a lash until she was a mass of welts and black and blue, for going to services conducted by the Holy Rollers, or Unknown Tongue sect.

During the first week in August the whiskey shipments to Greensboro amounted to 495 gallons; beer, 483 dozen; malt 1,738. The police say 85 per cent of this went to the lowest class of negroes, largely to women.

The Catholics and Hebrews are planning Summer colonies in the Black Mountain section where several other denominations have already established Summer headquarters and gathering places for study, etc.

President Fred N. Tate has named ten men as an advisorry board to act with the Governor and State officials in future negotiations with the railroads regarding inter-State freight rates. Mr. J. Allan Taylor is one of them.

There is a pool in Greene county, near the Moccasin river, of unknown depth. Recently a cord 2,000 feet long was used to sound the depth, but bottom was not touched. Nothing lives in the water, fish placed in it dying and rising to the surface.

The Newton-McArthur Lumber Co., of Elizabethtown, in the hands of ex-Judge J. Crawford Biggs, receiver, will be continued under his direction, and three miles of railroad added so that the 30,000,000 feet of timber the company owns may be made more accessible.

Judge H. G. Connor has appointed R. W. Winston, who was temporary receiver, a special commissioner in the case of the Merchants' Trust & Deposit Co., of Baltimore, against the Goldsboro, Seven Springs & Swansboro railroad, with the right to sell the property of the bankrupt company.

Charles McGougan, son of J. D. McGougan, of Lumber Birdge, and a nephew of Dr. J. Vance McGougan, of Fayetteville, was shot and killed by a negro at his turpentine camp in Florida Sunday; but before he died he managed to shoot and kill the negro. The body was brought home for burial.

Dr. E. A. Hennessee, the noted feudist of Burke county, who was so badly wounded in a fight between members of his and the Pitts families, several months ago, in which one of the Pitts was killed, was acquitted of murder in Morganton court Monday, after the jury had been out since Saturday.

A company near Beaufort has in operation a complete plant for the culture of diamond back terrapin. There are 3,000 of the reptiles now in the pens, growing right along, and these will be kept to propagate more. Diamond backs are almost worth their weight in money, so scarce have they grown.

Dr. J. R. Ridlon, U. S. surgeon, sent to Raleigh to investigate alleged local cause of typhoid fever at the A. & M. College, reports that he finds no such cause. Local physicians agree with him. Several students went home from school this Spring and had fever and it was charged that there was some general cause at the college.

The mail clerks on the run between Washington and Fayetteville want their old order restored so that they can go through to Fayetteville where many of them own their homes, instead of breaking their run and having to lay over in Rocky Mount or Columbia, S. C. Congressman Godwin is working for them.

Logan Bordeaux, colored, who shot and killed Shade Carr, colored, in Pender county, claiming self defense, has been released under $50 bond for Superior Court. Carr is said to have been drunk and attacked Bordeaux with a knife and Bordeaux shot him with a pistol. The inquest declared Bordeaux should be held.

Twenty-seven convicts have been sent to the Hickory Nut Gap highway, to work on several miles across the Blue Ridge. This gives the work about 50 convicts. There are 100 at work on the Raleigh, Charlotte & Southern railroad in Stanly county; 30 on the Watauga road; 30 on the Elkin & Alleghany and the same on the Statesville Air Line. Four hundred and twenty-five are on the State farm and 90 in the central prison at Raleigh.

A young Brunswick county farmer bought an automobile and gave a mortgage on a farm for it. The day the sale was to take place, on foreclosure, he, his wife and parents got in the machine to hurry to town to save the farm, but the car broke down and when they finally reached Southport, the sale had taken place and the property was gone.

Since a lot of wharf rats were shipped into Raleigh from this or some other seaport town, in a box car loaded with something or other, the city has been overrun with the pests which kill chickens and do other damage. One man has got him three king snakes and turned them loose on his premises, and since then—no more rats. The snakes are harmless.

Mrs. Gertrude Chandler, a frail little woman to whom the custody of her small son was awarded, it is said, by a Texas court several months ago, arrived in Asheville last week on the trail of her husband, who is charged with taking the child and leaving the State. She had followed him through seven States, and at last located him in Asheville.

R. B. Horne, a prominent business man and candy manufacturer of Winston-Salem, has been indicted by the Yadkin county grand jury for conspiracy, with Cashier J. Lee Norman, of the Yadkin Valley Bank, of East Bend, to "kite" checks and use the bank's resources and credit for private purposes. Norman is short in his funds about $20,000. Both are under bond.

New York has asked and has received from North Carolina the records of the impeachment of Governor Holden in 1871, during which trial Tod R. Caldwell, Lieutenant Governor, acted as Governor, the records being wanted for use in the trial of Governor Sulzer. The records of the impeachment of the Supreme Court justices of this State are also loaned to New York for the same purpose.

Congressman Falson has introduced bills as follows: For public building at Morehead City $60,000; roadway to National cemetery at Newbern $20,000; survey of canal from Goose creek to Jones bay, eight feet deep, 100 feet wide; survey of Neuse from Newbern to Goldsboro, to deepen channel; two terms Federal court at Goldsboro; $5,000 for weather station at Newbern; $10,000 for monument of Gen. Moore at Moore's Creek.

Dr. Platt W. Covington, of Wadesboro, has accepted the position as chief o fthe county health bureau at Raleigh. His duties will be to promote whole-time health organizations in every county. Many counties now have physicians as superintendents of health whose work is only of the most superficial character and for whose services only a pittance is paid, the work being a side line for their regular practice.

Mrs. Ellen Nance, of Washington, D. C., mother of Geo. S. Nance, who killed his wife in a Hamlet hotel, declares that he is insane, and that he will never be put to death for his crime. His brother, Chas. T. Nance, of Washington, has been at Rockingham during the week, looking after his brother's interests. He also declares that the man's mind has been off for four years. The case comes up in November and there is no doubt that insanity will be offered as a plea.

Governor Craig has received a note from Counsel General Thom, of the Southern Railway, stating that President Finley, of the Southern, is abroad just now and that when he returns he will be glad to take up the rate question again. The initiative must come from the railroads, it is said, if there is another rate conference. Governor Craig is hopeful that the matter will be disposed of before the Legislature meets, but if not and, if the 20 days' special session prove insufficient, he will call an additional 20 days' session.

A disease known in the mountains as "milk sick" has broken out around Minneapolis, Avery county. It is transmitted to persons from cows through milk and butter, and is nearly always fatal. The usual home remedy is honey and brandy in unlimited quantities. The cattle get the poison either by licking up some mineral in their efforts to get salt, or by eating rank vegetation in the shaded, damp places of the mountains. Nobody knows what it is. The government has been asked to investigate this last case.

Wooden molding for electric wires has been forbidden by law in New York since June 1.

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The Week Locally

An institute for teachers will be held in the city two weeks, beginning September 1st.

The formal opening of the new Y. M. C. A. building on Market street will probably be held September 15th.

The fire station property at corner of Sixth and Castle streets will be sold at auction September 1st, at 12 o'clock, noon.

W. J. Bass, of Wilmington, has been in Raleigh taking the Pasteur treatment, having been bitten and scratched by a cat that had rabies.

The city treasurer's report for June and July shows that of the total appropriations for the year, $275,668, the sum of $67,452.08 has been audited.

Improvements are being made at the postoffice, a parcel post window, among other things, being put in. Proposals will be received for a new marble floor in the lobby.

Labor Day, September 1st, will be celebrated in an elaborate way by the union labor men of the city and others. A picnic and exercises will be held at Lumina, on the beach.

County Demonstrator J. P. Herring has been spending the week in Raleigh taking a course of lectures on farm work delivered by experts at the A. & M. College for the demonstration agents of the State.

Fred Miller, a sailor who came here on a German ship, and who was found unconscious in an alley on Chestnut street, died in the hospital Friday of typhoid fever. He had no friends or kin known to the officials and was buried at the public expense.

Of the $50,000,000 to be distributed among National banks by the Treasury Department for moving crops, North Carolina will get $1,500,000, and this will be divided among Raleigh, Greensboro, Charlotte and Wilmington. Mr. James Sprunt is likely to be appointed agent for the funds for the government.

A negro who came to town for a coffin for his child was held up at 17th and Market streets by a policeman, who suspected that the coffin was merely a new wrinkle in the blind tiger business. It was not, however, but it developed that the negro didn't have a death certificate and he had to go back and get one.

Rev. Thomas D. Brown, a well known Episcopal minister, formerly a resident of this city and connected with many people of Wilmington, died Monday in Raleigh and was buried here in Oakdale Wednesday. He was formerly a lawyer, fought through the war and was for years an associate editor on the New York World.

The Atlantic Coast Line's "Garden Spot" car, filled with agricultural exhibits of the territory served by the railroad, left the city Monday night for Toronto, Canada, where there is to be a big fair during September. Mr. E. N. Clark, immigration and agricultural agent of this city, left on the car for Toronto.

Because the draw at one point in the new bridge over Northeast river is 2 1-2 feet narrower than specifications, the government cannot technically approve the bridge, but it will not disapprove it—in other words, will ignore it an dthe county can go ahead and pay the remaining $2,000 due the bridge company, which has been held back on this account.

A Morehead City man in the city during the week declared that Wrightsville Beach needed no beer to make it popular, that it was crowded with people and be believed the fact that no beer or whiskey was sold had drawn such crowds. Morehead City, he noted, which started out with a wet hotel this season, had no crowds, the hotel has closed and the season was a failure.

A Washington dispatch to The Star says that Collector Keith of Wilmington, will stay in his office and serve out his term if there appear no charges against him other than that he is a Republican. Congressman Godwin, who wants every office filled by a Democrat, is of the opinion that Mr. Keith should serve the time for which he was appointed, all other things being as they should.

Last Saturday and Sunday the police made 24 arrests, six for selling whiskey, a dozen for being drunk, and the remainder for various offenses. The plainclothesmen got the evidence on the tigers Saturday night. All are colored and their names are Robert Brown, Lewis Faison, Cain Miller, Andrew Evans, John Parks and Son Starkey, who received sentences running up as high as 12 months on the roads.

The State Council of the Juniors met at Wrightsville Beach during the week and the meeting was attended by more than 400 people. J. W. Sechrest was elected State Councilor. Among the items of business was the adoption of a resolution commending the amendment to the Constitution which declares that the reading of the Bible in the public schools shall not be prohibited, but a suggestion was added that sectarianism shall not be taught.

The Commissioners Monday fixed the tax rate at $1.10 on the $100 and $2 on the poll. This is an increase of 10 cents on the $100, but a decrease of 63 cents on the poll. The board also took up the matter of bids for the $125,000 of good roads and school bonds voted May 27th, but only one bid for a block of $10,000 of the bonds was submitted, and hence no sale was made. The Commissioners will borrow $10,000 to continue the road work and on Tuesday they raised the rate of interest from 4 1-2 to 5 per cent on the bonds, and offered them for sale again.

After much discussion Wednesday between the board of health and Council, it was decided that the health department would continue to remove slops and carrion until September 1st. The board of health had notified Council that on and after the 20th of August the city street forces would be expected to do this work. Council at its meeting Wednesday adopted a resolution asking the Legislature to abolish the consolidated health department and restore the old order of city and county departments, as there has been much friction between the health department and Council.

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The International Sunday-School Lesson

Third Quarter. Lesson VIII. Exodus 15:27-16:36.
August 24, 1913.

The Bread From Heaven.

(The Story.)

That march of mystery—Israel's journey through the wilderness. A desert anywhere has a fascinating weirdness. Absence of shade, water, and life make it a phantom place. In these characteristics the Sinaitic Peninsula surpasses all others. No wonder the Hebrews called it great and terrible, a howling wilderness.

Such unnatural environment can not fail to have its powerful influence. The traveler over that route today feels the subtle influence of the place. He can appreciate the depressing sensations of the caravan nation. In addition to these physical discomforts was the fear of enemies. The commissariat problem was also urgent. Under most favorable conditions the provisioning of such an emigrant host would have taxed an expert quartermaster general. But the exigencies of this case make it the most remarkable of its kind in history. For the people in such an environment not to have murmured would have been unnatural. When the subtle effect of the physical scenery, the imminence of attack, and the scantiness of provisions are all taken into consideration, the repining is not a surprise. Yet, in view of the wonders God had done in Egypt, and even already in the wilderness, the faith of the Hebrews should have been more buoyant.

Yet fear is the very worst of epidemics. In the shortest possible time the whole nation was innoculated. As always happens under such conditions, the people very much overrated their past advantages. So we find them sighing for the flesh pots of Egypt. As also happens, they underrated past evils. The bitterness of the bondage was softened by the happy release from it. And so the whole congregation murmured against Moses and Aaron in the wilderness.

This melancholy stampede was a real disgrace. Had they taken time to consider, they would have found ground for hope. The situation was really not extreme. The Hebrews had brought with them large flocks. They must have found pasture. From this source they would derive milk, butter, cheese. They could have flesh for food, and that, too, without diminishing their herds, using only the natural increase. Other tribes found sufficient means of subsistence in that locality. There are spots even today, in that very desert, where the Bedouin still sow and reap. Again, the Israelites could supply many wants by purchase from passing caravans. It would do them no harm to go on half rations for a while, if necessary. Again, they were not to be always wandering about. They remained months, and even years, in certain localities. So the situation of these emigrants was far from desperate.

The long-suffering patience of God had a remarkable example in this instance. A gracious redress of the people's grievance is promised. The last word of the people's complaint is "hunger". God's first word in reply is, "I will rain bread from heaven."

With reference to the nature and origin of manna, it will be found best to take the middle course between the "badly literal" and the "embellishments of wonder-loving legends." There is in this very locality a natural production still called manna by the Arabs. It oozes and distills from the tarfa tree. It must be collected before sunrise, for only then is it found in a coagulated state. It dissolves as soon as the sun shines on it. This natural product seems to be the physical basis of one of the surprising means of sustenance of the wilderness. How far it may have been idealized by a grateful memory, it is hard to say.

The Teacher's Lantern.

The moral ugliness of the grumbling habit has its historic illustration in the wilderness life of Israel. Fault finding becomes an end in itself when persisted in. Nothing comes of it except an unlovable disposition. It is reckless in its use of language, so that it has passed to a proverb that complainers do not weigh their words.

There is a fault-finding, however, which is admirable. It has the noble quality of moral earnestness. It has a definite end in view. It seeks the correction of existing evils. This is the fault-finding of the reformer.

Moses was admirably equipped for the captaincy of the pilgrim nation in the wilderness. He had had forty years' discipline in desert life.

Here is an interesting study in philology, an illustration of how words have their origin. These people found on the ground one morning a globule of the coagulated juice of the tarfa. They had never seen it before, naturally they cried, in their language, "Man-hu?"—in our language, "What is it?"—and that is what it was (in name) always afterward for them—manna.

The Jewish tradition that a pot of manna was kept in the ark is probably an error. They were directed to set the pot of manna (literally) before, not in the ark. It is not necessary to suppose that it was filled with miraculously preserved manna. The vessel itself stood for the contents.

The desert is a camera. It photographs and preserves. The face of cultivated countries and the names of civilized nations are in a perpetual state of change, but the desert and its inhabitants are alike unchangeable. So we can know by what we see there today how Israel looked in the wilderness, and what his experiences were.

Israel's supreme and inveterate error, after all, was not only that he distrusted God's providence as to his food, but that he regarded that food itself as the chief thing he was to live for. But this is not the error of Israel, it is the error of humanity. It was this Jesus confronted when he said, "Say not what shall we eat?" And, again, "Man shall not live by bread alone." Mere living is not the end of life.

Young People's Devotional Service.
August 24, 1913. John 3:25-36; 21:24-25
How Have I Proved Christianity and Seen Its Power?

(Messages from former and absent members.)

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MEMORIAL AT CHATTANOOGA

Battlefields Around Tennessee City Little Known to Country Generally—Tremendous Struggles Witnessed There.

Chattanooga, Tenn., Aug. 23.—There has been for a number of years a desire on the part of survivors of both armies of the Civil War, throughout a wide scope of territory, to erect at Chattanooga a monumental peace memorial dedicated to the commemoration of National peace and civic brotherhood of a re-united American republic.

The idea has been suggested at practically every meeting of the Blue and the Gray, and at all reunions of either side for a number of years. Wherever the proposal is made, it meets with hearty support especially from those who from actual experience know something of the importance of the Chattanooga battlefields. Veterans of both armies have committed themselves to this National enterprise whenever given a chance, and they would hail with delight the announcement that the cornerstone of the memorial would be laid in 1915, the 50th anniversary year of the close of the civil strife that for a time separated the Nation into hostile sections.

Gen. Bennett H. Young, commander-in-chief of the United Confederate Veterans, graciously and eloquently gave the proposition of a peace monument at Chattanooga his earnest approval during the Confederate reunion here last May, and many other prominent Confederates did likewise.

These survivors of the deadly struggle would like to see erected at Chattanooga a monument to American valor and peace that would rival the mountains in height and shed its benign influence throughout the Nation. They have said as much time and again at their reunions and encampments, and the younger generation of Americans, sons and grandsons of the men who fought in these great battles, are in hearty sympathy with the movement.

It is regarded as fitting that the cornerstone of the memorial be laid in 1915, as that year marks the 50th anniversary of the close of the war. It has been suggested by many that the dedication should take place November 25, 1915, which would be the 52nd anniversary of the sanguinary battle of Missionary Ridge—the battle that brought the war to a speedy close, by opening a road into the center of the South for Union armies and destroying the last hope of the Confederacy. The sentiment appeals to North and South alike, and it is admitted that the Chattanooga battlefields, considering their sanguinary history and the influence they had on the ultimate decision of the great conflict, are worthy the prominence such a memorial would give them. Fields upon which 50,000 Americans were killed and wounded, have a claim on the patriotism of the Nation that the survivors of the battles, and their friends, would be pleased to see satisfied by the erection of a peace monument entirely creditable to the country.

Due to a number of circumstances, which need not be recounted, the Chattanooga battlefields are not so well understood by the American people as they should be. For two long years mighty armies contended for the possession of Chattanooga, the gateway to the South. Beginning with the battle of Fort Donelson, on the Cumberland river some 200 miles northwest of Chattanooga, every battle that was fought by the Army of Ohio, later the Army of the Cumberland, and the Tennessee army of the Confederates, was directly for the possession of Chattanooga. The conflict that had raged for this strategic point for more than two years culminated in the engagements of Chickamauga, Lookout Mountain and Missionary Ridge. The battles of Murfreesboro, Shelbyville, Tullahoma, and the many skirmishes between the latter place and Chattanooga, were not accidental. They were fought for the possession of one great vantage point, and that point was Chattanooga. With Chattanooga safely in the hands of the Union forces, the end of the war was in sight. In view of these facts, the importance of the Chattanooga battlefields are obvious.

The refusal of the government of Great Britain to take part in the Panama-Pacific Exposition certainly affords fine evidence of a spirit of petty revenge unworthy of so gerat a nation as England.—San Francisco Call.

No matter how mistaken the Congressional action may have been in regard to discrimination in the canal tolls, the manner of the expression of European resentment is unjustified.—New York Times.

Strange uses are being found for some of the cues cut off in vast numbers by the Chinese. A British woolen manufacturer recently received an offer of five tons of such hair for weaving into woolen fabrics.

What is said to be the largest rattlesnake farm in the world is conducted in Texas by a man and his wife.

Heat Is Quick to Affect the Bowels

Well Known Fact That Extreme Heat Conduces to Chronic Constipation.

So many people are in the habit of eating cold food in hot weather that constipation is very common during Summer. It is best to vary the food and have some hot things, as, for example, soups and hot fish and meats, if that is to be the diet. Iced water should be drunk sparingly.

In spite of all care people will become constipated, and if you find yourself in that condition you can get immediate relief by the use of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. There is no time of the year when you should be more careful of constipation than in the Summer, for many of the serious illnesses as well as the fatalities result from a clogging up of the bowels. You also need general good health to withstand the heat, and hence Syrup Pepsin is best to take because it contains tonic ingredients that help to build up the entire system.

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All week messages have been flying back and forth between Washington and Mexico City, carrying negotiations between this country and Huerta, provisional President of Mexico. President Wilson's position is that Huerta ought to resign, let somebody act until elections can be held, and allow fair expression to the people as to whom they want to rule them. Huerta's position is that he will do nothing of the kind. Meanwhile American lives and property suffer. Bryan has sent them word he will hold either side responsible for any offense against Americans.

In the Senate Monday Senator Ben Tillman got out his old, rusty pitchfork and swung it again as of yore. This time he was after the suffragettes. He declared he deplored the movement to give women the ballot, said it would not correct politics but would destroy womanhood as we know and honor it, but admitted that it was coming and that women would soon have the right of ballot everywhere.

England has been investigating its jury system and finds that charges of unfairness against juries are no new thing. One old bishop remarked: "London juries are so prejudiced that they would find Abel guilty of murdering Cain."

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(advertisement.)

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Evidently Mr. Burleson, Postmaster General, intends to run the department as he things it should be run, and will not listen to outsiders. Hurrah for Burleson. Would that all cabinet officers were possessed of Burleson's grit and backbone.—Inverness Chronicle.

Here is a fine chance for the art of Mr. Bryan to reveal itself. No servile begging, be it understood, but just a convincing presentation of the reasons why John Bull ought to come over to his relative's show.—Boston Post.

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JAPAN'S PRIME MINISTER

Count Yamamoto Simple, Sober, Hale and Hearty—Peculiar Customs of the Japanese — The Complicated Language of Nippon.

Tokio, Aug. 23.—Japan's prime minister, Count Yamamoto, is a total abstainer from the use of spirituous liquors, but he prefers his native tea to grape juice. In his abstemiousness he is also like Secretary of State Bryan in in the fact that he does not smoke, believing all indulgence in tobacco bad for his health.

Count Yamamoto is an early riser. At 5 o'clock precisely every morning he is seen, in plain Japanese garb, taking a walk in the neighborhood of his residence in Tokio. Upon his return he reads his papers with extraordinary attention, from heavy editorials down to minor city events. With Countess Yamamoto he has a plain breakfast, consisting of milk, eggs and rice. After breakfast, he begins to get ready for his day's work, while his wife prepares his tea.

Although an Admiral, the premier wears a frock coat. Punctually at eight he leave his home in an automobile and in fifteen minutes he arrives at the cabinet offices which are inside the palace compound. There he grimly goes through piles of State documents until at noon he takes his European luncheon which invariably drives the severity from his countenance, and he is then ready for amiable conferences with his secretaries.

The premier shuns social engagements and late hours. At four P. M. he leaves his office and goes straight to his home. After a bath and a stroll in his garden, he partakes of a hearty Japanese dinner, for he is a healthy, stout old sailor with a real appetite. He wears a moustache and beard, now almost grey, but his most striking features are his eyes, bright and penetrating, testifying to the power and strength within. At the same time he has a kind heart. His domestics characterize him as an amiable and sympathetic master.

Retain Form of Life.

In the course of a notable speech made at Tokio, the Hon. James Bryce, former British Ambassador at Washington, said he hoped that Japan would retain her own form of civilization and not permit her traditions to be swallowed up by the civilization of the Western world. He thought it was refreshing to meet a type that was just as good as the West and not at all monotonous.

An instance that Japan is retaining her peculiar form of civilization was found at the time of the death last month of Prince Arisugawa, a member of the Imperial family, at Maiko, near Kobe, after a lingering illness. Although everybody knew that the prince was dead, the authorities made no official announcement, and insisted that he should be regarded as living until the body was transferred to Tokio. This took place several days after his actual demise. When the body arrived at his Tokio residence, near the American Embassy, the Government made the announcement of his death.

The reason for all this is found in the old tradition and custom that no member of the Imperial family can die outside of the seat of the Imperial government, which today is Tokio. It was curious to note in the news columns of the Japanese newspapers side by side with the report of his death and incidents of his career, paragraphs stating that Prince Arisugawa was about to return to the capital, as his condition had become critical.

Some Japanese opinion is strongly opposed to this custom. It was pointed out that years ago Prince Kitashirakawa while commanding the Japanese army at Formosa, after the Sino-Japanese war, died on the battlefield, being almost the first Imperial prince to lose his life at the front in the cause of his country. This event, which was an incentive to popular loyalty towards the crown, was carefully concealed by the authorities, who announced later that the prince had come to Tokio to report to the throne about the campaign and died at the capital. Newspapers alleged that this procedure only served to dim the lustre of the prince's heroism at the front. The practice should be abolished, they contended, as an obnoxious old-time custom, which is more or less ridiculous.

Writing Reformer Dead.

In the death of Count Tadasu Hayashi, former foreign minister, Japan lost an earnest supporter of "writing reform." He considered the present system of writing the Japanese language in complicated Chinese ideographs a serious bar to national advancement, and advocated the adoption of Roman letters.

The Chinese ideographs are not only complicated in their constructions, but each character has several different pronunciations and meanings, from two to five or more. For instance, the Chinese ideographs for "Count Hyashi" may be pronounced "Berlin," meaning the capital of Germany.

In Japan before a person can be considered at all educated he or she has to learn nearly 2,000 of these Chinese characters, committing to memory the complicated construction of each ideograph and learning the different pronunciations and meanings, as well as their proper uses, in addition to the art of caligraphy. All this is proving too heavy a burden for the rising generation of Japan, which has to master one or two foreign languages as well as different branches of modern learning.

The surname Mouse denoted at first a man of great courage while Mr. Ratt got his name from the fact that the first bearer of the name was a wise person, who gave "counsel" to the king.

Salvador has accepted Mr. Bryan's peace and arbitration plan. But it's Mexico where peace is needed just now, Mr. Bryan.—Buffalo Express.

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